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# GALVESTON RISING FROM HER RUINS.

## *Work of Bringing Order Out of Chaos Wrought by Flood Begun.*

## *City One Huge Mass of Wreckage—Survivors Generally Favor Prompt Reconstruction. Relief Work Progressing.*

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

GALVESTON (Tex.,) Sept. 13.—Galveston is beginning slowly to recover from the stunning blow of last week, and though the city appears tonight to be pitilessly desolated, the authorities, the commercial and the industrial interests are setting their forces to work, and a start has at least been made toward the resumption of business on a moderate scale.

The presence of the troops has had a beneficial effect upon the criminal classes, and the fear of a brief but desperate reign of anarchy now no longer exists. The liquor saloons have at least temporarily gone out of business, and every strong-limbed man who has not his own abode to look after is being pressed into service, so that, first of all, the water service may be resumed, the gutters flushed, and the streets lighted.

FRESH FINDS OF DEAD.

The further ruins are dug into, the greater becomes the increase in the number of those who perished as their houses tumbled about their heads. On the lower beach yesterday a searching party found a score of corpses within a small area, going to show that the bulwark of débris that lies straight across the island conceals many more bodies than have been accounted for.

Volunteer gangs continue their work of hurried burial of the corpses they find on the shores of Galveston Island and at the many neighboring points where fatalities attended the storm. It will be probably many days yet, however, before all the floating bodies have found graves. Along the beach bodies are constantly being washed up.

STENCH UNBEARABLE.

Whether these are those who were swept out into the gulf and drowned or simply the return ashore of some and those cast into the sea to guard against terrible pestilence, there is no means of knowing. In any event, the Associated Press correspondent, in a trip across the bay yesterday, counted several bodies tossing in the waves, with a number of carcasses of cattle and horses, the stench of which was unbearable. In many parts of the city the smell of decomposing flesh is apparent. Wherever such instances are found, the authorities are freely disinfecting. Only today a babe lashed to a mattress was picked up under a residence in the very heart of the city and buried.

CITY A MASS OF WRECKAGE.

The city still presents the appearance of widespread wreck and ruin. Little has been done to clear the streets of the terrible tangle of wires and the masses of wreck, mortar, slate, stone and glass that bestrew them. Many of the sidewalks are impassable. Some of them are littered with débris. Others are so thickly covered with slime that walking on them is out of the question.

As a general rule substantial frame buildings withstood better the blasts of the gale than those of brick. In other instances, however, small wooden structures, cisterns and whole sides of houses have been plumped down in streets or back yards, squares away from where they originally stood.

Here and there business men have already put men to work to repair the damage done, but in the main the commercial interests seem to be unable to follow the lead of those who show faith in the rapid rehabilitation of the island city.

RECONSTRUCTION QUESTION.

The appearance of the newspapers today, after a suspension of several days, is having a good effect and both the News and Tribune are urging prompt succoring of the suffering, and then equal promptness in construction. It is difficult to say yet what the ultimate effect of the disaster is to be on the city. Many people have left and some may never return. The experience of others still here was so frightful that all will not remain if they can conveniently find occupation in other cities.

The bulk of the population, however, is only temporarily panic-stricken, and there are hosts of those who helped to make Galveston prosperous who look upon the catastrophe as involving only a temporary halt in the advancement of the city. What is most bothering business men at present is what attitude the railroads, and especially the Southern Pacific, will assume with respect to reconstructing.

STEAMSHIPS ARRIVE.

The decision of the transportation lines will do much more than anything to restore confidence. Big ships, new arrivals, rode at anchor today in front of the city. They had just reached the port and found the docks and piers damaged to such an extent that no accommodation could be given to them. They found sheds torn away, freight cars overturned and planking stripped off.

The steamships reported ashore in early reports are, save two, the Norwegian steamer Gyller and the British steamer Norma, still high and dry. No examination is yet possible as to the condition of those still on the sand.

Apparently Galveston has no immediate need for ships. The destruction of the bridges of all the railroads entering the city make it well nigh impossible to furnish outgoing cargoes. These bridges were each about three miles in length and the work of reconstruction will be a stupendous undertaking.

CITY IN DARKNESS.

One of the most serious results of the storm has been the wrecking of the electric light and street-car plants. The city has been in darkness for several nights and only a few concerns which operate their own illuminating service are enabled to do business. Nearly every residence has gone back to the primitive candle. The absence of street lights drives all who have no imperative business on the streets to their homes at nightfall, but the work of the patrol system is made more difficult thereby and the opportunity for looting greater.

The motormen deserted their cars when the fury of the wind and the rush of the water made it no longer possible to operate them. Attempts are being made now to get the cars in shape again. The great destruction of live stock has eliminated carriages and cabs as a means of transportation, and the need of the trolley promises to become a most pressing one when rebuilding begins.

RELIEF WORK PROGRESSING.

Among the worst sufferers by the disaster were the churches. Nearly every one of them felt the effect of the storm. Some of them are entirely wrecked beyond repair. The work of the relief continues. Mayor Jones and his associates are bending every nerve to open a direct line of transportation with Houston by which they may be enabled to promptly receive the great quantity of provisions which are now on the way to the city.

"I wish to say, however," said Mayor Jones, "we have made such arrangements as will make it possible for us to feed the needy until we can get in our supplies. We are relieving every case presented to us. I think within a day or two our transportation facilities will be sufficient temporarily to meet our needs. Galveston has helped other cities in their distress, despite her size, and we are consoled by the generous responses of the country to our appeal."

The relief committee is striving to systematize its work, and there is undoubtedly distress here which ought promptly to be relieved.

Weazen-faced, barefooted children were engaged yesterday in the streets eagerly appropriating spoiled and cast-off stocks of food. The committee has instructed the local drug stores to provide the poor and needy with medicines at the expense of the relief fund.

## GALVESTON MUST RISE AGAIN.

### *Sentiment of Brave Survivors of Flood is That the City Shall Be Rebuilt.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

GALVESTON (Tex.,) Sept. 13.—The following editorial appears in today's News:

"At the first meeting of Galveston's citizens Sunday afternoon, after the great hurricane, for the purpose of bringing order out of chaos, the only sentiment expressed was that Galveston had received an awful blow. The loss of life and property is appalling—so great that it required several days to form anything like a correct estimate. With sad and aching hearts, but with resolute faces, the sentiment of the meeting was that out of the awful chaos of wrecked homes and wrecked business Galveston must rise again.

"The sentiment was not that of 'bury the dead and give up the ship,' but rather bury the dead, succor the needy, appeal for aid from a charitable world, and then start resolutely to work to mend the broken chains. In many cases the work of upbuilding must begin over. In other cases the destruction is only partial. No, the sentiment of Galveston was Galveston will, Galveston must survive, and fulfill her glorious destiny. Galveston shall rise again.

"Galveston having been isolated since the storm of last Saturday night, the stricken citizens of the town have not been informed as to the thrill of horror which went over the world when the news of the catastrophe was spread. The Associated Press brings the cheery news that in every town and city in the United States, commercial, religious and charitable bodies have organized into relief committees. At present thousands of dollars and hundreds of cars of supplies are en route and will reach the sufferers of Galveston just as soon as it is possible to boat them across the bay. If the desolation here has been awful, the sympathy and humanity of a great nation has been ample, and very soon the local committees will be enabled to assist the destitute thousands.

"What the News desires most to say to the surviving victims of last Saturday's catastrophe is that in the knowledge of a world-wide sympathy which is encompassing us, we must not give way to despair. If we have lost all else we still have life, and the future, and it is toward the future that we must devote the energies of our lives. We can never forget what we have suffered, we cannot forget the thousands of our friends and the loved ones who found watery billows that found them a final resting place. But tears and grief must not make us forget our present duties. The ruin which has desolated Galveston is not beyond repair, we must not for a moment think Galveston is to be abandoned because of this disaster, however horrible that disaster may have been. We have our homes here, even if those homes are in ruins, and if we loved Galveston before, how much stronger must that affection be, and how much more sacred it must be when we think of our loved ones, whose dust consecrates not only the land, but the very waves which lash its shores.

"It is time for courage of the highest order. It is a time when men and

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[THE CRISIS IN CHINA.]

# DIPLOMACY AGAIN IN THE ASCENDANT.

## *Prospects Brightening for Early Settlement—Earl Li Starts for Peking—Withdrawal of Legations.*

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The crisis that was near at hand yesterday over the evacuation proposal of the Russian government has been averted for a time at least, and the diplomatic side of the matter has become again the object of attention. The order to Gen. Chaffee to leave at once, which was expected in some quarters, did not issue today. Instead, earnest efforts are making to arrange the preliminaries for the negotiations which are expected finally to settle the Chinese troubles.

Li Hung Chang's message today removed perhaps the last obstacle to the speedy beginning of these negotiations, and the only doubt that now exists is as to his ability to redeem his pledge to protect American interests and stop the outrages on the missionaries and native converts. If he can do this and thus manifest the existence of a de facto government, there is no reason to doubt that negotiations will be immediately in order.

The notice that Russian troops will not evacuate Peking until some arrangements have been made for the installation of a government to take charge of affairs, is directly in line with the aim the State Department has been pursuing in the exchanges with Li Hung Chang, and if this Russian decision is adhered to, it certainly will facilitate the ultimate withdrawal of all the foreign troops in the opinion of the officials here. An inference from the Russian statement is that Li's coming to Peking will be forwarded by Russia in the hope of making the desired arrangement for the establishment of a Chinese government there.

As Li cannot reach the capital from Shanghai, by starting tomorrow, inside of a week, it may be that there will be no developments in the international situation within that period of time.

Our government has not been advised even yet that all of the answers to the Russian note have been returned. It is said that all of the powers have been heard from on the subject, but the disposition is to regard their communications not as answers, but rather as argumentative statements which leave the main issue still open for discussion. This point, however, becomes of diminished importance in view of the announced purpose of the Russian government to modify the terms of its original proposition in the matter indicated.

EARL LI'S EARLY START.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Mr. Wu, the Chinese Minister, has received a dispatch from Li Hung Chang announcing that he expects to leave Shanghai tomorrow for the north. Similar information has been received by the State Department from Consul-General Goodnow. Earl Li should reach Tien-Tsin in about three and a half days. At Tien-Tsin Li will formally assume the viceroyship of the province of Chi Li, to which he was appointed some time ago. After a short rest at Tien-Tsin he will proceed to Peking, where it is expected he will promptly open negotiations with the representatives of the powers for the settlement of peace terms.

LI PROTECTS MISSIONARIES.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

PARIS, Sept. 13.—The French Consul at Shanghai telegraphs that at his request Li Hung Chang wired the Governor of the province of Shan Si to take measures to protect the Belgian missionaries, who were in great trouble. The Governor replied that measures had been taken, and a detachment of cavalry had been dispatched for their defense.

Earl Li, the Consul says, informed him that he had given urgent orders for the protection of the missionaries at Cheng Ting Fu, southwest of Pao Ting Fu, and Hin Nin, in the province of Chi Li.

DIPLOMATIC SITUATION.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Sept. 14.—According to the Daily Mail's St. Petersburg correspondent, who claims to be able to indicate the exact diplomatic situation, "the attitude of the United States is so indefinite that there is no absolute certainty whether Washington will accept or reject the Russian proposal."

Germany, according to the same authority, was the first power to reply. She based her refusal principally on the ground that the withdrawal would lead to further trouble, and to the massacre of thousands of other converts.

"Russia and France," says the correspondent, "finding their position awkward, are not likely to hurry to quit Peking en masse. The Japanese general, Yamaguichi, telegraphed to his government from Peking, September 6, that the Emperor's Chamberlain had just arrived. This probably means that some negotiations are on foot for the return of the Emperor.

"Other Japanese advices report that Peking is returning to its normal condition. Order is being restored. Native refugees are coming back, and foreign residents are leaving to recuperate."

JAP SUCCEEDS BRITON.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Sept. 13.—A special dispatch from Shanghai announces that a Japanese official has been appointed to succeed J. McLevy Brown, the financial director and commissioner of customs of Korea. J. McLevy Brown is an Englishman. In April, 1896, he was appointed to the financial control of Korea.

ORDERS OF INDIAN TROOPS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

HONGKONG, Sept. 13.—The British Indian officers on the transports which recently arrived here have been ordered to debark at this place. The cavalry will proceed north.

## LEGATIONS WILL LEAVE PEKING.

### *Celestial Capital to Remain Under Military Control for Time Being.*

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Sept. 14, 4 a.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] No further light is thrown this morning upon Li Hung Chang's intended movements. The Times has an interesting dispatch from Peking, dated September 4, which says in part:

"Russia has decided to withdraw her legation from Peking, leaving a purely military command. An official announcement of this is expected today. The other powers will apparently withdraw their legations, leaving Peking under the military control of the allies during the winter at least.

"At a meeting of the generals, the Russian commander announced that Russia would maintain 15,000 troops during the winter.

"The German commander said that Germany would keep the same number and the Japanese commander announced that Japan would have 12,000. The British general was not in a position to make an announcement.

"There is every indication, however, that Lord Salisbury has decided that our present untenable position in Peking must become still humbler. In the best-informed quarters the opinion is expressed that Russia and Germany are acting in accord, Russia seeking the definite alienation of all territory north of the great wall, and Germany the annexation of Shan Tung, Kiang Su and the Yang Tse provinces. Russia also seeks to restore the power of the Empress Dowager and the Emperor, in order to be enabled to wield her influence through them over the remaining provinces. The dismemberment of China seems almost inevitable.

"The Empress Dowager has retained Prince Ching's son as a hostage for his father."

The Shanghai correspondent of the Times, wiring Wednesday, confirms the reports of the uneasy feeling there concerning Germany's intentions towards the Yang Tse provinces, especially the Kiang Nin forts.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says he is in a position to assert positively that the Russian troops in Manchuria are preparing for a winter campaign.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Associated Press, wiring Wednesday, and confirming the report as to three of the four conditions proposed by a certain power as the basis of negotiations, says he has it from a Peking source, usually reliable, that Prince Ching has already begun to negotiate, but that the second condition is the treatment of the Manchuria provinces, including the Liao Tung peninsula, as a buffer state.

## EVACUATION OF PEKING.

### *England's Answer to Russia's Proposal—Binding Guarantee Demanded.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Sept. 13.—[By Atlantic Cable.] England's reply to the Russian proposition for the evacuation of Peking was sent two days ago, and, as the Associated Press forecasted, Great Britain declines to evacuate previous to a satisfactory guarantee from the Chinese government for the fulfillment of certain conditions.

There is a general disposition here to accept as mainly correct the statement that all the powers have now replied to the Russian proposal; that Great Britain and Germany have declined to evacuate Peking; that Austria and Italy have decided to be guided by Germany's decision, and that the others have agreed to a more or less modified withdrawal, as defining the attitude of the powers. It is deduced therefrom, perhaps because the British wish is father to the thought, that the Czar will agree to allow his troops to remain at the Chinese capital until he sees the results of the present negotiations looking to the establishment of a basis upon which peace settlements can be discussed, and which are said to contain the suggestion of a compromise calculated to maintain the unity of the powers, while satisfying both the advocates and the opponents of the withdrawal of troops from Peking.

PEACE CONDITIONS.

According to the suggested compromise arrangement, it is proposed that the strength of the garrison of Peking, which is to be international, is made

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# GALVESTON BEGINNING TO RISE FROM ITS RUINS—RELIEF WORK IN PROGRESS.

women show the stuff that is in them, and we can make no loftier acknowledgment of the material sympathy which the world is extending to us than to answer back that after we shall have buried our dead, relieved the sufferings of the sick and destitute, we will bravely undertake the vast work of restoration and recuperation which lies before us, in a manner which shall convince the world that we have spirit to overcome our misfortune and rebuild our homes. In this way we shall prove ourselves worthy of the boundless tenderness which is being showered upon us in the hour of desolation and sorrow."

## HORROR ABOARD A TRAIN.

*Eighty-five Passengers Killed in the Hurricane—Others Saved by Lighthouse.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

NEW ORLEANS Sept. 13.—A telegram was received this morning from Hon. John H. Poe, member of the State Board of Education, residing at Lake Charles, stating that eighty-five lives were lost on the Gulf and Interstate train which left Beaumont early Saturday morning from Bolivar Point, after having made connection with the Southern Pacific train which left this city Friday night. Mr. Poe was one of the passengers on this train and fortunately, together with a few others, he sought safety in the lighthouse at Bolivar Point and was saved.

The train reached Bolivar about noon and all preparations were made to run the train on the ferryboat preparatory to crossing the bay. The wind blew so swiftly, however, that the ferryboat could not make a landing, and the conductor of the train, after allowing it to stand on the tracks for a few minutes, started to back it toward Beaumont. The wind increased so rapidly, coming in from the open sea, that the water soon reached a level with the bottom of the seats within the cars.

It was then that some of the passengers sought safety in the nearby lighthouse, but Mr. Poe states in his telegram that, in spite of all the efforts, eighty-five people were blown away or drowned. The train was entirely wrecked. Doubtless some of the killed were from New Orleans, as the train made close connection with the Southern Pacific train which left here Friday night, and there were a large number of New Orleans passengers aboard. It is known that at least some of these were bound for Galveston. Those who were saved had to spend over fifty hours in the lighthouse on almost no rations.

TWEED DENIES IT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The dispatch giving the information that a Southern Pacific train which left New Orleans for Galveston last Friday had been struck by the hurricane and wrecked and eighty-five people killed was pronounced untrue by Mr. Tweed today.

Mr. Tweed today reiterated his statement that his road would not abandon Galveston, but would in the immediate future proceed with further improvements planned. He thought the Southern Pacific's loss by the hurricane at Galveston would come inside of $400,000.

## COAST COVERED WITH BODIES.

*Terrible Destruction of Life at Outside Towns—Clearing Up the Debris.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 13.—A special to the Picayune from Galveston says the relief measures organized there are running more smoothly than before; the destitute are receiving supplies from the various depots; the sick are receiving the best care, and physicians are giving their services gratis.

Reports continue to be received from near-by coast and mainland towns telling of destruction and loss of life. The coast for miles inland is said to be covered with bodies. One man aided in burying 100 a few miles north of Virginia Point, and parties are out in every direction engaged on the same duty.

Charles Paterson came in from Bolivar Point and reported that they had buried between 300 and 400 of Galveston's dead, and on Bolivar Peninsula from the point of East Highlands for twenty-one miles south, everything was washed away.

Gen. Polk, general manager of the Santa Fé, has received reports that every station-house, freight depot and water tank on the line between Virginia Point and Rosenburg Junction, sixty-six miles north, was either blown away or wrecked, and miles of track washed away. All towns between these two points were severely damaged by the cyclone, and each had a death list of from five to fifteen people, with many more or less injured.

PROPERTY LOSS TEN MILLIONS.

Secretary Bailey of the Galveston Wharf Company estimates the loss to that company at $300,000, while prominent ship brokers place the loss to foreign shipping in port at $500,000 to $700,000. It is conservatively estimated that the loss in property, goods, merchandise, etc., will exceed $10,000,000.

Decomposition being rapid, the further removal of bodies from the devastated portion of the city has been inhibited, and the interment ordered where found. After accurate description of the body and memorandum of the effects thereon have been taken for future identification, the body is buried.

Houston has sent eleven tow barges loaded with relief supplies and more will follow. Port Arthur has sent several loads, and telegrams are received from numerous points that stores and supplies are on the way for the sick, all of which will be relieved to some extent.

PART OF JETTIES GONE.

The piling and portions of the floor are all that is left of Galveston's miles of water front. Part of the south wall of jetties is gone and rocks as large as rooms are piled into the channel, making it exceedingly hazardous for ships to come in. There are thirty craft of all sizes piled high and dry on the beach. The water averaged a depth of five feet over the entire island. The older residents of the island profited by former experience, bored and chopped holes in the floors of their homes and as a rule they escaped.

The slip of water at the point of Tremont street could be crossed by stepping on the dead bodies of human beings and animals. On Tuesday an ordinance was passed authorizing burying parties to set fire to the wrecked buildings and burn them. On these funeral pyres hundreds of corpses were cremated. Fifty thieves, mostly negroes, were shot Tuesday and Wednesday morning.

CLEARING THE STREETS.

Gangs of laborers are busy cutting passageways for vehicles through the clogged streets. The débris is cast to one side to be removed and burned as soon as possible. So many domestic animals were killed or crippled and floats, drays and other vehicles damaged, that the cleaning of the city will take months to perform.

MILES OF CORPSES.

CONDITIONS ALONG THE COAST.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

HOUSTON, Sept. 13.—John J. Moody, a member of the committee sent from Houston to take charge of the relief station at Texas City, reports as follows:

"To the Mayor—Sir: On arriving at La Marque this morning I was informed that the largest number of bodies were along the coast of Texas City. Fifty-six were buried yesterday, and today within less than two miles extending opposite this place and toward Virginia Point. It is yet six miles further to Virginia City, and the bodies are thicker where we are now than where they have been buried. A rigid inspection in the opposite direction reports dead bodies thick for twenty miles.

"The residents of this place have lost all—not a habitable building left—and they have been too busy looking after the dead to attend to personal affairs. Those who have anything left give it to the others, and yet there is real suffering. I have given away nearly all the bread I brought for our own use to hungry children.

"A lot of helpless women and beggared children were landed here from Galveston and had no place to go and not a bite to eat. Tomorrow others are expected from the same place.

"Every ten feet along the wreck-lined coast tells of acts of vandalism; not a trunk, valise or tool chest has escaped. We buried a woman this morning who bore the mark of recently-removed rings. Other details are too long to enumerate.

ONE THOUSAND BODIES.

GIVE OUT HORRIBLE STENCH.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

HOUSTON, Sept. 13.—H. E. Cameron, a lumber dealer of Stowell, Chambers county, says that the relief party who went from Stowell to Bolivar report to him that there were over one thousand dead bodies on the beach at Bolivar, in East Bay and in sight of the salt marshes which line the bay. The party succeeded in burying only forty of these corpses. The others are lying in the water and on land decomposing and throwing forth a horrible stench. The carcasses of animals are mixed in with them. Many of these bodies were evidently swept across the bay from Galveston. Others are of people who lived at Bolivar. It will be necessary to collect and burn these remains to prevent the outbreak of an epidemic which may extend far into the interior of Chambers county.

LOST ALL RELATIVES.

BAD NEWS FOR YOUNG SEELY.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LA JUNTA (Colo.,) Sept. 13.—C. J. Seely, a young man of Galveston, who is in this city, has received a telegram from the Mayor of Galveston, informing him of the death of twenty-one of his relatives, among whom are his mother, two sisters and three brothers. He said today that he did not believe he had a relative left on earth.

UNION PRINTERS' APPEAL.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

GALVESTON (Tex.,) Sept. 13.—Galveston Typographical Union appeals to sister unions for aid to care for the living and bury the dead.

"Immediate action," says the appeal, "is absolutely necessary. There can be no exaggeration. Conditions are as indescribable as they are horrifying and helpless. We are absolutely homeless. Send contributions to chairman Relief Committee."

## HOUSTON NOW THE HAVEN.

*Hundreds of Unfortunates in the City—Survivors in a Pitiable Condition.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

HOUSTON (Tex.,) Sept. 13.—Houston is now the haven of the unfortunate people of Galveston. The trains have already brought in between 800 and 1000 of the survivors, and a motley crowd they are. Men bareheaded, barefooted, hatless and coatless, with swelled feet and blackened bodies, were numerous, as well as women of refinement frequently hatless and shoeless, with gowns in shreds, were among the refugees. Sometimes there was a man, a wife, a child or two, but these cases were rare, nearly all of those who came in having suffered the loss of one or more members of their family.

Never were there so many sad hearts. Men bereft of wives and children; women who were widowed; children who were parentless—it was enough to touch the heart of anyone, and it did so. Never was there more heroism shown. Although a week ago these people had happy homes, they are now homeless and penniless. They bore up bravely. True they all wore sad expressions, but there was no whimpering, no complaining. They were made to feel that Houston is now their home, that they are welcome and that everything for their comfort and welfare is being done. They are being housed and fed, and those in need of medical attention placed in hospitals where they will receive good care. Many of the refugees to reach Houston had tasted little or no food since the storm.

FORTIFICATIONS DAMAGED.

WORD FROM ENGINEER RICHE.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Gen. John M. Wilson, Chief of Engineers, U.S.A., has been endeavoring to communicate with the officers of the engineers in charge at Galveston to ascertain the conditions of the fortifications, built at a large expense; also the harbor improvements, upon which more than $8,000,000 has been expended. Gen. Wilson also was anxious to know whether there had been any loss of life among the men in his department. This morning he received two dispatches, one which had been delayed in transmission. They are as follows:

"GALVESTON, Sept. 10.—Gen. Wilson, Chief of Engineers, Army, Washington: Hurricane caused tide twelve to fourteen feet above mean low. Jetties seem to have settled, cannot be seen with tide three feet above; probably seriously damaged. Batteries practically ruined; nothing but concrete portions left; casemate torpedo buildings, warehouse, coal wharf wiped out; dredge Comstock beached on Pelican Flats, will have to be dug out. Crew all saved. Tug Anna at Velasco in Brazos River has not been heard from; Assistant Engineer Talifer was on the Anna. Superintendent Campbell probably also. Superintendent Hinkie at Aransas Pass not yet heard from; other assistants and clerks safe. Capt. Judson's wife reported drowned; cannot verify this; self and family safe. Rafferty better; Nichols and Longive safe. They have probably wired department already; further details of importance as ascertained.

[Signed] "RICHE, Engineers."

"GALVESTON, Sept. 13.—Chief of Engineers, Washington: Tug Anna is ashore in Brazos River just below the lighthouse; all hands safe. Depth of water in usual entrance channel here reported shoaled to twenty feet, probably is deeper elsewhere. Have arranged with Contractor Clarke to float Anna; also to bring his dredge from Pisquemane Bayou here to dredge out government dredge Comstock, so she may be available for urgent work.

[Signed] "RICHE, Engineers."

CAPT. RICHE'S FINDINGS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

GALVESTON (Tex.,) Sept. 13.—Capt. Charles S. Riche, U.S.A., after he had completed a tour of inspection of the government works, said to a News reporter: "The jetties are sunk to nearly mean low tide level, but not seriously breached. The channel at least is as good as before, perhaps better, twenty-five feet certainly."

The damage at Fort Crockett, Capt. Riche says, is not serious. The shore line at Fort Crockett has moved back about 600 feet. Fort San Jacinto appears to be badly wrecked. The San Jacinto batteries could not be reached by land, and inspection was from a distance. The sand around these batteries is pretty well leveled off to about two or three feet above mean low tide.

At Fort Travis, Bolivar Point, the damage is great. The shore line has made back about 100 feet on the line of these batteries.

GEN. M'KIBBON REPORTS.

GALVESTON PERFECTLY QUIET.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The War Department has received the following telegram from Gen. McKibbon, who was sent to Galveston to report on conditions there:

"HOUSTON, Sept. 12.—Adjutant-General, Washington: Arrived at Galveston at 6 p.m., having been ferried across the bay in a yawl boat. It is impossible to adequately describe the conditions existing. The storm began about 9 o'clock a.m., Saturday, and continued with constantly increasing violence until after midnight. The island was inundated; the height of the tide was from eleven to thirteen feet. The wind was a cyclone; with few exceptions, every building in the city is injured. Hundreds are entirely destroyed. All the fortifications except the rapid-fire battery at San Jacinto practically destroyed. At San Jacinto every building except the quarantine has been swept away.

"Battery O, First Artillery, lost twenty-eight men. The officers and their families were all saved. Three members of the Hospital Corps lost. Names will be sent as soon as possible. Loss of life on the island is possibly more than 1000. All bridges are gone, waterworks destroyed and all telegraph lines are down. Col. Roberts was in the city, and made every effort to get telegrams through. The city under control of committee of citizens, and perfectly quiet. Every article of equipment or property pertaining to Battery O was lost. Not a record or any kind left. The men saved nothing but the clothing on their persons. Nearly all are without shoes or clothing other than their shirts and trousers. Clothing necessary has been purchased and temporary arrangements made for food and shelter.

"There are probably 5000 citizens homeless and absolutely destitute, who must be clothed, fed and sheltered. Have ordered 20,000 rations and tents for 1000 from Fort Sam Houston. Have wired Commissary-General to ship 20,000 rations by express. Lieut. Perry will make his way back to Houston and send this telegram.

[Signed] "M'KIBBON."

## TALK OF MOVING THE CITY.

*Railroad Officials, However, Think Galveston Will Be Rebuilt on Old Site.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Railroad men in this city have been discussing with great interest the possibility that Galveston may be rebuilt on a different site, less liable to the onslaughts of the Gulf of Mexico than the flat sand island which has twice been denuded by wind and wave. It was rumored that the Southern Pacific Company will head a movement to build the city on a spot forty miles to the southwest of its present location at the mouth of the Brazos River.

But representatives of the railway systems which connected Galveston with the outside world before the occurrence of the present disaster say her residents will rebuild on the same island in spite of the terrible experiences. They believe that Galveston, injured financially though her citizens have been, will be rebuilt by her citizens without the aid of outside capital.

Charles H. Tweed, chairman, and D. O. Mills of the Southern Pacific board of directors both said last night that the directors had not discussed the question of rebuilding Galveston.

"The railroads," said Mr. Tweed, "will, of course, have to replace their own property. But I do not think they will coöperate in any movement to replace the town. The residents of Galveston do not need their help for that purpose.

"Galveston is, of course, in dire need of immediate relief just now. There are many persons who have so suffered as to be keenly in want of financial assistance, but Galveston is a wealthy town, one of the wealthiest in the South, and when it comes to a question of replacing the city, I believe that the resources of her own citizens will be found quite adequate.

"The town, in my opinion, will not be constructed at the mouth of the Brazos. It is not an easy matter to move a city."

"The land at Velasco is somewhat higher than that at Galveston," said President Rouse of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas. "It is presumably a safer location, but it is impossible to say what locality will be chosen for rebuilding or, in fact, anything about rebuilding of the town until we get some news of just what damage has been done.

"In considering the question of a removal of a site it should be borne in mind that Galveston has spent more than $7,000,000 in building jetties to improve its harbor. It is true higher and better land exists at the mouth of the Brazos, but it is not likely that the residents of Galveston will want to turn to a new harbor after the great expenditure which has been made on their own."

Assistant Secretary Henson of the International and Great Northern Railroad said that he thought the residents of Galveston would endeavor to reclaim their losses on their own territory rather than turn to a new site. "But I believe," he added, "that the disaster will prove a black eye to the gulf towns in that neighborhood."

## WHOLE NATION SENDS RELIEF.

*Money and Supplies Pouring into Houston—California Sends a Carload.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

HOUSTON (Tex.,) Sept. 13.—From all parts of the United States and some portions of England many thousands of dollars are pouring into this city for the relief of Texas' destitute storm sufferers. Trainloads of provisions and clothing are also hurrying toward Houston and Galveston, and the refugees who have arrived here are being made as comfortable as possible.

Estimates of the number of dead still vary, Mayor Jones of Galveston maintaining his opinion that the number will be no less than 5000. Property losses are mounting higher as details arrive and some estimates for the city of Galveston reach as high as $20,000,000. There are 25,000 homeless in that city to be taken care of, and it is a question whether Galveston can be or will be rebuilt. There seems to be a disposition on the part of the leading citizens, however, to start resolutely where the storm left off and raise a new city from the ruins of the old.

Troops are patrolling the streets, and looting has been given a setback. Several additional cases have been reported where vandals have been shot down while robbing the dead, but the troops are rapidly gaining control of the lawless element.

NEW YORK FUND.

METROPOLIS DOING NOBLY.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The subscriptions to date for the relief of the Galveston sufferers are: Merchants' Association, $52,099; Mayor's fund, $7000; New York Mercantile fund, $3000; Cotton Exchange fund, $5300; New York Stock Exchange, $7000; New York Produce Exchange, $8000; Chamber of Commerce, $25,000; miscellaneous subscriptions, $30,000; total, $134,394.

The transport McPherson will leave this port at noon Monday next for Galveston, carrying supplies which have been contributed through the Merchants' Association. The steamer El Sud of the Morgan line sailed this afternoon for Galveston, with a large contribution of food supplies and clothing for the Relief Committee, which was contributed through the Merchants' Association.

CHICAGO'S FIRST OFFERING.

FOOD AND CLOTHING SENT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Chicago's first offering of food and clothing for the Texas sufferers left here at 6 o'clock tonight over the Rock Island in a special train of six cars, that has the right of way over all other trains as far as Fort Worth.

Other cars packed at Rock Island, Davenport, Muscatine, Topeka, Kansas City, St. Joseph and Wichita, will be picked up en route, and it is expected the train will consist of twenty-three cars when it reaches its destination. The train is expected to reach Fort Worth at 11 o'clock on Saturday, whence it will be taken to Houston over the Houston & Texas Central route on a special schedule.

CASH CONTRIBUTIONS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Mayor Harrison today received $5400 in small sums as contributions of private citizens to the Texas relief fund, making the total subscribed here $60,000. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Railroad Company sent a check for $15,000 direct to Gov. Sayers today.

BANKERS' GIFT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—The Chicago Clearinghouse Association has decided to send $10,000 for the relief of the sufferers on the gulf coast.

CALIFORNIA RESPONDS.

CARLOAD OF SUPPLIES SENT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—A carload of provisions and clothing for Galveston left this city tonight over the Santa Fé.

San José Aerie, No. 3, Fraternal Order of Eagles, tonight voted $250 to be sent by telegraph tomorrow morning for the relief of members of Aerie No. 48, of Galveston, Tex.

FRESNO ACTS PROMPTLY.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

FRESNO, Sept. 13.—A hastily-called meeting of the Chamber of Commerce this evening raised $127 for the Galveston relief fund, and appointed a committee to raise more tomorrow to be telegraphed to the Governor of Texas. Central California Lodge, I.O.O.F., telegraphed $50 to their order in Texas today.

STOCKTON LIBERALITY.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

STOCKTON, Sept. 13.—Stockton is responding liberally to the calls for aid from the Galveston sufferers. This morning $126.25 was telegraphed, the money having been collected to pay for the weekly Thursday night band concerts in the Plaza.

Stockton Lodge of Elks, No. 218, telegraphed $50 to the Galveston Lodge of Elks today, and it is also announced that the proceeds of the baseball game at Goodwater Grove next Sunday between local and Oakland Elks will be forwarded to the stricken district. The local Red Cross society has also forwarded $100 by telegraph.

Ross Sargent, a local capitalist, raised over $400 today by subscription, he heading the list with a goodly sum. It will be telegraphed to Galveston at once.

## "IN THE TRAIL OF THE NOVEMBER CYCLONE—A PROPHECY."

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SEA-SIDE INN, Long Beach, Cal. Rooms and parlors; electric lights, bath, accommodation, 40 guests. Opens after Sept. 15. J. M. BOWER, Manager.

Park Sanitarium—Le Grand Powell sts or wall. Above fogs. 12 miles Los Angeles Terminal R.R. Summer resort; class verandas. Hot water.

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PINE HOTEL, Long Beach. Newly furnished rooms. Cor. Second and Pine, Long Beach, Cal. Reduced rates after Sept. 1.

## CHINA.

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ANOTHER EDICT.

According to a dispatch from Shanghai, received Monday, another imperial edict, dated Tchow, September 5, has been issued, regarding Li Hung Chang to forthwith take the vice-regal seat of the province of Chi Li to Sking, there to coöperate with Prince Ching and Chang Tung Lu in the re-establishment of peace. In his decree the Emperor assumes the responsibility for the events which have occurred in Pekin and does not blame Prince Tuan (the father of the heir apparent,) or Kiang Yi (the President of the Board of War.) The dispatch reiterates the assertion that there is strenuous opposition in all the foreign colonies to the acceptance of Yung Lu as a peace negotiator.

SUGGESTS RAIDS.

The renewal of the Chinese raids on the Russian borders are regarded as preparing Europe and the United States for French and Japanese operations in the regions where they are respectively represented, similar to the operations of Russia in Manchuria.

## ORDER MUST BE GUARANTEED.

*Russians Will not Withdraw from Peking Until Order is Assured.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 13.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Russian government adheres firmly to its proposal to evacuate Peking and continues to cherish the hope that Germany will end by agreeing to it and thus induce Great Britain to follow. It is explained, however, that Russia recognizes the impossibility of the allies leaving Peking unless the Chinese government immediately enters, so that there should not be an interval without a government. Russia cannot therefore move before the termination of the negotiations now begun for guaranteeing order in Peking by the installation of a government immediately after the evacuation.

RUSSIAN WINTER QUARTERS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 13.—The Novoe Vremya says quarters have already been secured at Tien-Tsin for Russian troops leaving Peking. The paper adds that some detachments will march to Taku and remain there, but that the majority will return to Port Arthur or Ta Lien Wan for the winter.

GEN. WILSON IN PEKING.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PEKING, Sept. 9.—Brig.-Gen. Wilson, U. S. V., is here under instructions to report to Maj.-Gen. Chaffee, commanding the American forces here.

## CHINA GRATEFUL TO AMERICA.

*Minister at London Expresses Appreciation of Uncle Sam's Attitude.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Sept. 13.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Chinese Minister here, Sir Chih Chen Lo Feng Luh, gave a representative of the Associated Press an extended interview on the general situation, in which he took special care to thank the United States government for its attitude toward the Chinese government, and the American people for what he believed would prove to be their hearty support of the government's attitude.

"I hope to see Lord Salisbury on Friday," said the minister, "and I trust that England will see her way clear to agree to the withdrawal of her troops from Peking. I have had no report of Lord Salisbury's policy, but I hope from the fact that Prince Ching has had an interview with Sir Robert Hart. Prince Ching was president of the Tsung Li Yamen, to which Robert Hart was attached, and I anticipate they will be able to accomplish much toward the final acceptance of a board of arbitration. I am especially pleased that it is proposed to appoint a United States commission, of which John W. Foster may be a member. Mr. Foster is much esteemed, not only by Li Hung Chang but by many Chinese officials. I believe the United States will render China a great service as well as accomplish much for its own commercial future.

"We all have great faith in Secretary Hay, and the United States has always occupied an important position in the eyes of China. We have not forgotten that it was the American Admiral alone who refused to fire on the forts at Taku."

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

AWAIT THE EMPEROR'S ARRIVAL.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PEKING, Sept. 9.—[Copyright, 1900, by the Associated Press.] Prince Ching, during the course of interviews with the ministers yesterday, informed them that while he hopes to negotiate, he cannot act without Li Hung Chang. An urgent request has been telegraphed to Li Hung Chang, asking that official to come to Peking. Marquis Tsiang states that nothing can be done until the arrival of the Emperor.

IMPERIAL ABDICATING PLANS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SHANGHAI, Sept. 11.—From a reliable source it is ascertained that the Empress Dowager, Emperor Kwang Hsu, and Prince Tuan are at Ta Tung, in the province of Shang Si, where they will remain for some time, after which, if not disturbed, they will proceed southward to Tai Yuen, in the same province.

MET THEIR FATE.

REV. HODGE AND WIFE SLAIN.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Minister Conger cables the State Department under date of September 13 as follows:

"Hodges killed, Pao Ting Fu."

Minister Conger's dispatch was in answer to a cabled inquiry from the State Department as to the fate of Mission-ary C. Va nRensselaer Hodge and wife, Elsie Campbell Hodge. The cable were

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dispatches on the progress and character of the negotiations with China. With regard to the conditions which, as Prince Ching has informed Li Hung Chang, a certain power has proposed, namely the neutralization of Fien-Tsin, the creation of Heh Lang Kiang into a buffer state; that the power shall occupy international garrisons at the treaty ports, and the execution of the Emperor chiefs, another dispatch from Shanghai says Manchuria has been suggested as a buffer state.

ANOTHER EDICT.

According to a dispatch from Shanghai, received Monday, another imperial edict, dated Tchow, September 8, has been issued, reorganizing Li Hung Chang to forthwith take the vice-regal seat of the province of Chi Li to Peking, there to cooperate with Prince Ching and Gen. Tung Lu in the establishment of peace. In his decree the Emperor assumes the responsibility for the events which have occured in Peking, and does not blame Pace Tuan (the father of the heir apparent,) or Kiang Yi (the President of the Board of War.) The dispatch reiterates the assertion that there is strenuous opposition in all the foreign colonies to the acceptance of Tung Lu as a peace negotiator.

SUGGESTING RAIDS.

The renewal of the Chinese raids on the Russian border are regarded as signifying Europe and the United States or French and Japanese operations in those quarters where they are respectively operated, similar to the operations of Gasly in Manchuria.

## ORDER MUST BE GUARANTEED.

*Russians Will not Withdraw from Peking Until Order is Assured.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PETERSBURG, Sept. 12.—[By Associated Press Cable.] The Russian government adheres firmly to its proposal to evacuate Peking and continues to express the hope that Germany will aid by agreeing to it and thus induce Great Britain to follow. It is explained, however, that Russia recognizes the impossibility of the allies leaving Peking unless the Chinese government immediately enters, so that there should not be an interval without a government. Russia cannot therefore move before the termination of the negotiations now begun for guaranteeing order in Peking by the installation of a government immediately after the evacuation.

RUSSIAN WINTER QUARTERS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 12.—The Novoe Vremya says quarters have already been secured at Tien-Tsin for Russian troops leaving Peking. The paper adds that some detachments will march to Taku and remain there, but that the majority will return to Port Arthur or Ta Lien Wan for the winter.

GEN. WILSON IN PEKING.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PEKING, Sept. 9.—Brig.-Gen. Wilson, U. S. V., is here under instructions to report to Maj.-Gen. Chaffee, commanding the American forces here.

## CHINA GRATEFUL TO AMERICA.

*Minister at London Expresses Appreciation of Uncle Sam's Attitude.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Sept. 13.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Chinese Minister here, Sir Chih Lo Feng Luh, gave a representative of the Associated Press an unsolicited interview on the general situation, in which he took special care to thank the United States government for its attitude toward the Chinese government, and the American people for what he believed would prove to be the hearty support of the government's attitude.

Hopes to see Lord Salisbury on Fri-

said the minister, "and I trust England will see her way clear to the withdrawal of her troops from Peking. I have had no letter of Lord Salisbury's policy, but I hope from the fact that Prince Ching has had an interview with Sir Robert Hart, Prince Ching was present, the Tsung Li Yamen, to which Robert Hart was attached, and I hope they will be able to accomplish much toward the final acceptance of a board of arbitration.

I am especially pleased that it is proposed to appoint a United States commissioner, of which John W. Foster may be a member. Mr. Foster is esteemed, not only by Li Hung Chang but by many Chinese officials. Before the United States will China a great service as well as accomplish much for its own commerce.

We have great faith in Secretary Hay, and the United States has occupied an important position in the eyes of China. We have not forgotten that it was the American minister who refused to fire on the forts at Taku."

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

AWAIT THE EMPEROR'S ARRIVAL.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PEKING, Sept. 9.—[Copyright, 1900, by the Associated Press.] Prince Ching, during the course of interviews with the ministers yesterday, informed them that while he hopes to negotiate, he cannot act without Li Hung Chang. An urgent request has been telegraphed for Li Hung Chang, asking that official business to Peking. Marquis Tsiang states that nothing can be done until the arrival of the Emperor.

IMPERIAL ANCESTRAL PLACE.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SHANGHAI, Sept. 11.—From a reliable source it is ascertained that the Empress Dowager, Emperor Kwang Su, and Prince Tuan are at Ta-tung, in the province of Shan Si, where they will remain for a time, after which, if not disturbed, the will proceed southward to Tai-Yuen, in the same province.

## ACTING LIKE BOXERS.

*The French and Russians Guilty of Frightful Atrocities.*

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A special to the Sun from Peking, dated Sept. 3, says: "The French and Russian troops who are arriving now are guilty of frightful atrocities. At Tung Chow they assaulted and slaughtered women and killed children. Gen. Fukishima, one of the Japanese commanders, made a personal complaint to the Russian and French generals, and urged Gen. Chaffee to do likewise.

"The Sixth United States Cavalry reconnoitered as far as Hunting Fork, the fork of the road to Huanling, north of Peking, and killed two Boxers whom they met. They also destroyed large stores of rice.

"Owing to stress of military business, Gen. Chaffee refuses to allow press correspondents the use of wires from Peking to Taku."

natives of Philadelphia and belonged to the Presbyterian mission.

MISS PALMER IS SAFE.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

TORONTO (Ont.,) Sept. 13.—The China Inland Mission has received a cablegram announcing the safe arrival at Hankow of Miss Palmer of the American branch.

CONVERTS MURDERED.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 12.—A Japanese officer at Chsong, Korea, reports that two Japanese and several hundred Chinese and Korean converts have been murdered on the frontier by the Chinese.

## HONORS PAID TO LAWTON.

*Bryan Helps to Dedicate a Monument—Gov. Mount's Plain Talk.*

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

FORT WAYNE (Ind.,) Sept. 12.—The people of this city today dedicated to the memory of Gen. Henry W. Lawton a monument crowned by a cannon captured by him, and christened the principal city park in honor of Lawton. The exercises were under the auspices of the Union Veteran Legion. William J. Bryan was the principal orator of the occasion.

Gov. Mount spoke just before Mr. Bryan. The Governor took up the question of the Philippine war, denouncing Aguinaldo by name, and showing a tendency to strong condemnation of the insurgents, and all who may sympathize with them. He spoke of the fact that the gun had been taken from men who had turned it upon our flag, and our soldiers. The Governor added:

"If this cannon was not captured in a just and humane war, and from those opposing the lawfully-constituted authority over these islands, fighting the soldiers of the government that had liberated them from Spanish thraldom, then where is the honor of the capture and the glory of this gift? Honor these insurgents as patriots, and then you interpret wrongfully the words, the will and the act of our dead hero, this service becomes a hollow mockery, and this trophy of patriotic valor becomes a monument to the dishonor of our soldiers and the shame of our country."

Further on, Gov. Mount said:

"I trust I may never see the day when I shall so far forget my devotion and my loyalty to my country as to characterize our soldiers as the agents of oppression, turning the banner of liberty into an ensign of imperialism, nor do I apprehend such a consummation."

Mr. Bryan made no direct reference in his address to the utterances of Gov. Mount about the Philippine war.

"I was invited to participate in this reunion," Mr. Bryan began, "not as a candidate for office, but as a citizen of this republic, and I am here to speak to you not as a candidate for office but as a citizen."

This remark called out enthusiastic applause.

Mr. Bryan then referred to his own record as a soldier, saying:

"I can hardly say that I am here as a soldier, for I feel that my military service was so insignificant, compared with the service of so many who are here today, that I am hardly entitled to be classed among the soldiers. So far as my title is concerned, I feel that it is hardly fair that one should be a colonel who saw no active duty and who did not have his courage tested upon a battlefield."

Mr. Bryan then paid a high tribute to the volunteer soldiers' character, and their wives, saying:

"I have supreme faith in the man who fights when his country needs fighters, and then works when his country needs workers."

Further on, he said: "You have met today to do honor to the memory of a soldier, of one in the regular army. We need soldiers in the regular army. We need some who are ever prepared by military training for the work of the soldier. The differences between us are differences as to the number of regulars that we need. It is not the place today to discuss the size of our standing army; this is not the time to exchange opinions as to how many soldiers we need; but no matter what our opinions may be as to the size of our standing army, we are all glad that when an emergency comes we find the soldier measures up to the standard of a soldier like Lawton did."

Bryan said that there were victories of peace as well as of war, and that he longed "for the time to come when no hostile arm will be raised against a fellow-man."

### Challenger for Seawanhaka.

MONTREAL, Sept. 13.—The challenger for the Seawanhaka cup from abroad is Lorne Campbell Currie, a member of the Island Sailing Club of Cowes and of the Royal Northern Yacht Club of Glasgow. The challenge came from Havre where Currie is secretary of a prominent yacht club.

BIGGEST sensation of the season! Paine's great military spectacle, "The Battle of San Juan," at Washington Gardens, cor. Main and Washington sts., Monday, and every night next week. Get your reserved seats this morning at Fitzgerald's Music House, 113 S. Spring street.

[SPORTING RECORD.]

## COARSE WORK IN THE RING.

*Neill-Moffatt Fight Was a Rank Fake.*

*Club Bunco Game Makes Sports Wroth.*

*Governor's-day Card Draws Big Crowd at State Fair—Baseball Results.*

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is the general opinion of sporting men of this city today that the fight last night between Jack Moffatt of Chicago and Al Neill of San Francisco was the rankest fake ever perpetrated on this long-suffering public. The National Club was responsible. This club is composed of three men, Gibbs, Groom and Newman. The first two are the men who work the schemes and the third is the moneyed man. They engineered the deal by which Fitzsimmons was cheated out of his victory over Sharkey by a false decision given by Wyatt Earp, a notoriously crooked gambler, who was appointed referee.

The National Club knew three days ago that Tommy Ryan could not fight, so they signed Al Neill for $1000 to take Ryan's place. They continued to claim Ryan would appear, and sold tickets on that claim. Moffatt made no kick, as he thought victory was sure, as he had already knocked Neill out twice. He let himself get overweight, so on the night of the fight Ryan claimed a default on this and the club will have to pay the forfeit money. Neill also made a demand that the $2500 purse be split, and this also had to be agreed to.

The fight was a fluke, as Moffatt was having things all his own way when his shoulder was dislocated. Neill was fat and slow, and could not have lasted six rounds. It was a bunco for the public, which is wroth over the swindle.

[ON THE TURF.]

## GOVERNOR'S DAY AT THE FAIR.

*Big Crowd Sees Interesting Events — Anaconda in Hair-raising Finish.*

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 13.—The attendance at the park today was the best since the fair opened. It was Governor's day, and Gov. Gage's personal popularity had much to do with the large attendance. The Governor, attended by his staff, reached the park early in the afternoon and viewed the racing.

The free-for-all trot between Dione, Dolly Dillon and Phoebe Childers did not come quite up to the expectations of the public, though it was a very good race. Dione had been boomed as a record beater, but the best she could do was 2:10¾. Phoebe Childers won the race, and the six heats were all good, if not the best six successive heats on the State record, all being trotted inside of 2:13¾. The gentlemen's roadster race was an interesting event of five heats, which was won by Our Boy.

Toriolo, the favorite in the mile-and-one-sixteenth race, fell on the first turn. Her jockey, Farrell, had his face cut, as if the horse had stepped on him in its struggle in getting up, but his injuries are not serious. Edgardo, at 5 to 1, won the race.

The Capital City Stake, one mile and a furlong, was won by Fomero, a 3-to-2 favorite, by a nose from El Mido.

Maresa, 2 to 1, won the Sunny Slope Stake for two-yearolds, five furlongs, by a length from Moonbright, 2 to 1. Bavassa, 2 to 1, was third.

The mile race, for three-year-olds and upward, was won by Toriblo, a 7 to 10 favorite. Results:

Trotting, free for all, purse $1000:

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| Phoebe Childers (Lapham) | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Dione (Jeffries) | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Dolly Dillon (Sanders) | 3 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 |

Time, 2:10¾, 2:12½, 2:12¼, 2:12½, 2:13¼, 2:14¾.

Gentlemen's road race:

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| Our Boy (Weldon) | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Abdine (Sallendine) | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Munyon (Upson) | 3 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 2 |
| Peo (Wright) | 4 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 5 |
| Baby Button (Buckman) | 5 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 |
| Pansy (Bell) | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 6 |

Time, 2:19¼, 2:20, 2:19½, 2:23½, 2:23.

Running, three-year-olds, selling, one and one-eighth miles: Edhardo, 100 (Mounce,) won; Alica, 104 (Butler,) second; Grand Sachem, 110 (Thomas,) third; time, 1:48¼. Tenrica, None Such, Grady, Torsida (favorite) also ran. Torsida fell.

Running, Capital City Stake, three-year-olds and upwards, mile and a furlong, value of stake $830: Formero, 120 (Ruiz,) won; El Mido, 110 (Mounce,) second; Lou Rey, 95 (Stewart,) third; time, 1:54¼. Morinel, Asian, Vinctor, Jennie Reid and Herculean III also ran.

Running, Sunny Slope Stake, two-year-olds, five furlongs: Maresa, 103 (McDonald,) won; Moonbright, 110 (Ruiz) second; Bavassa, 110 (Mounce,) third; time, 1:01¼. All Silk, Eonic and Spainwar also ran.

Running three-year-olds and upward, selling, one mile: Toriblo, 107 (Stewart,) won; Snips, 104 (Butler,) second; Casdale, 98 (Mounce,) third; time, 1:41¼. Briar Hill, Sunello, Petal, Sea Spray and Rey Del San Juan also ran.

### HAIR-RAISING FINISHES.

PRINCE ALERT BEATEN.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The attendance was large on the fourth day of the Grand Circuit meeting at the Empire City track.

In the free-for-all pace Anaconda sold for $100, Prince Alert for $95 and Indiana $40. The finish in the first heat was in doubt to the wire, where Prince Alert won by a nose from Anaconda. In the second heat Prince Alert broke badly, Anaconda winning. Anaconda also won the next heat and the race in a hair-raising finish.

The big event of the day was the mile against time by The Abbott, to beat his record of 2:04¾. He went very slow to the quarter in 0:32¾, and then went like lightning to the half in 1:03½, three-quarters in 1:33¾ and came home in 2:04. This gives him the champion gelding record, but still leaves him behind the world's championship record, held by Alix in 2:03¾. Summary:

The 2:15 trot, purse $1200: Lady Norvett won, Maide Thorne second, Martha third; best time 2:12¼.

The 2:13 pace, purse $1200: Tom Calhoun won, Deveress second, Prince A. third; best time 2:10.

Free-for-all pace, wagon race: Hontas Crook won, Quadria second, Silber Maker third; time 2:10.

Free-for-all pace, purse $1500: Anaconda won second and third heats, each in 2:04½. Prince Alert won the first heat in 2:02¼. Indiana also started.

### PONIATOWSKI'S PURSES.

BIG INDUCEMENT TO OWNERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] New Orleans will not get as many good horses from this part of the country as formerly. The meetings in California will draw several of the best stables. Prince Poniatowski, who has undertaken to rejuvenate the sport on the Pacific Coast, was at Gravesend track yesterday and today. He spent the entire afternoon talking to horse owners, and holding out inducements to them to make the trip across the continent. The purses which will be offered in California next winter will be larger than ever before, and the added money in stakes will amount in the aggregate to about $75,000. New Orleans cannot afford to bid. Poniatowski is enthusiastic in his new venture and is determined that the colors of Belmont, Whitney and Keene shall be seen at Tanforan and Ingleside this winter. These millionaire turfmen, who race for the pure love of the game, have not yet fully determined to ship stables West, but Poniatowski is confident they will.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—The stockholders of the Pacific Coast Jockey Club, after voting conditionally to lease the Ingleside track to the San Francisco Jockey Club, Prince Poniatowski's new organization, appointed a committee to pass upon terms and report its recommendations to the main body. A meeting was held today but nothing was done, and the minority now claims that no lease has been determined and the whole proceedings are irregular and illegal.

John Crocker has been removed from the directorate of the Pacific Coast Jockey Club and Mall McAllister appointed in his place on a showing made to the directors that Mr. Crocker does not now own a share of the stock in the club.

SPENCER'S BAD RIDING.

THROWS AWAY WILLOW STAKES.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Two stakes and a hurdle handicap were decided at Gravesend, and the sport was interesting, except to those who intrusted their money and hopes to Spencer. He practically threw away the Willow Stakes on Noonday, and only won the Speculation Stakes by a narrow margin, after a bad ride. Potente had to be much the best horse, as Spencer rode a bad race. Summary:

Hurdle candicap, one mile and a half: Nuto won, Mazo second, Klondyke third; time 2:48 1-5.

About seven furlongs: The Pride won, Ralston second, Kitchener third; time 1:11 1-5.

The Willow Stakes, five and a half furlongs: Janiee won, Noonday second, Trigger third; time 1:08 4-5.

Speculation Stakes, mile and a sixteenth: Potente won, Kinnikinnic second, Peaceful third; time 1:47 3-5.

Five furlongs: Gladerun won, Isla second, Rappanecker third; time 1:02 3-5.

Mile and seventy yards: King Brample won, Sadducee second; time 1:46 3-5. Two starters.

JOCKEY STOVAL KILLED.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—John Stoval, formerly well known as a jockey, was killed at the Gravesend race track this morning while exercising a horse, which fell and rolled over him. During the racing season of 1890, Stoval was ruled off the track for alleged unfair riding at the Linden, N. J., track.

### EVENTS AT HARLEM.

SUMMARY OF THE WINNERS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Results at Harlem:

Five furlongs: Duelist won, Fridolin second, Hernando third; time 1:00 2-5.

Six furlongs: Able Furst won, Dollie Wethoff second, Pope Leo third; time 1:13 3-5.

Mile and an eighth: Found won, Hard Knot second, The Devil third; time 1:52 3-5.

Mile and twenty yards: Van Hoorebeke won, Headwater second, Ohnet third; time 1:42.

Five furlongs: Silurian won, Moneymuss second, Tyr third; time 1:00 1-5.

One mile: Cogmoosie won, Prestar second, Freylinghuysen third; time 1:40 2-5.

### DETROIT RACING.

HOW THE HORSES CAME IN.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

DETROIT, Sept. 13.—Results:

Six and one-half furlongs: Brother Fred won, Onoto second, Charley Shane third; time 1:21½.

Four and one-half furlongs: The Covenanter won, Emma C. L. second, Virgie D'Or third; time 0:56½.

Six furlongs: Jack Adie won, Doustherswivel second, Descubridora third; time 1:14¾.

Mile and one-sixteenth: Baffled won, Earl Fonso second, Outburst third; time 1:47½.

Mile and one-eighth: Flag of Truce won, Elizabeth second, Crossmolina third; time 1:56.

Six furlongs: Iola won, Lake Fonso second, Prince of India third; time 1:14¾.

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## TOD SLOAN SUSPENDED.

*American Jockey Punished for Violation of the Rules.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Sept. 13.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Tod Sloan was suspended today for the rest of the Doncaster meeting for crossing Eager, ridden by Morny Cannon, in the race for the Portland plate.

[BASEBALL.]

## BROOKLYN TAKES A TWO-TIMER.

*Cincinnati Beaten Twice in One Day—Errors Give Chicago a Victory.*

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

BROOKLYN, Sept. 13.—Brooklyn won both of today's games. The attendance was 2400. Score:

First game:
Cincinnati, 2; hits, 10; errors, 0.
Brooklyn, 7; hits, 12, errors, 0.
Batteries — Newton and Kahoe; Weyhing and McGuire.
Umpire—Snyder.

Second game:
Cincinnati, 9; hits, 13; errors, 0.
Brooklyn, 13; hits, 11; errors, 2.
Batteries—Scott and Peltz; Kitson, McGinnity and Farrell.
Umpire—Snyder.

CHICAGO-NEW YORK.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Costly errors lost the game for New York. The attendance was 500. Score:
Chicago, 6; hits, 6; errors, 3.
New York, 5; hits, 9; errors, 5.
Batteries—Cunningham and Kling; Matthewson and Bowerman.
Umpire—Emslie.

ST. LOUIS-BOSTON.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

BOSTON, Sept. 13.—St. Louis won handily. The attendance was 1000. Score:
Boston, 4; hits, 9; errors, 4.
St. Louis, 5; hits, 10; errors, 3.
Batteries—Pittinger, Willis and Sullivan; Jones and Buelow.
Umpire—Hurst.

PHILADELPHIA-PITTSBURGH.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 13.—Chesbro was wild and the locals won with comparative ease. The attendance was 3000. Score:
Pittsburgh, 6; hits, 15; errors, 1.
Philadelphia, 11; hits, 16; errors, 0.
Batteries—Chesbro and O'Connor; Fraser and Douglass.
Umpire—O'Day.

CLEVELAND-MINNEAPOLIS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 13.—Minneapolis, 3; Cleveland, 5.

BUFFALO-CHICAGO.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Chicago, 1; Buffalo, 5.

### DISINFECTANTS NEEDED.

WAVES CASTING UP BODIES.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

DALLAS (Tex.,) Sept. 13.—The cry still comes from Galveston for disinfectants. It is the one hope of saving what is left of the population. Telegrams are pouring into Dallas and every other Texas city asking for lime, carbolic acid and anything else that will operate to purify the air.

A new horror is confronting Galveston, the second disposition of many of the dead. Bodies thrown into the sea are floating back to the city. They must now be disposed of by burning. Disinfectants become more needed as a consequence of this new feature in the situation.

THE Greatest ever! Get in line for your reserved seats for the "Battle of San Juan," commencing Monday, and every night next week, at Washington Gardens, corner Washington and Main sts. Sale of seats opens this morning at 9 o'clock, at Fitzgerald's Music House, 113 S. Spring street.

# EDUCATIONAL.

Not only our children must go to school in order to learn, but we older ones can pick up knowledge, if we will, as we journey through life. In this space we try to educate you how to buy for your children, whom you wish to see educated, and at the same time educate you to a high standard of buying good goods at low prices. That's our idea, see?

## Children's Corner.

Your children want, and so do we, that you should provide new clothing for them to start to school in. We quote you here only the most staple and needed articles.

### Jackets to Wear to School.

A child's reefer jacket, made of good cheviot cloth in red, blues and tan colors, loose back and front, with large sailor collar, and nicely trimmed in braid—
**$2.00**

The above description will fit this jacket in every particular, except this is of better material and just as cheap at the fifty cents difference—
**$2.50**

Child's reefer jacket in heavy cloth, staple colors, large sailor collar, appliqued with velvet, braid trimmed, 6-button reefer front; it's a hummer—
**$4.50**

Misses' jacket, a hersey cloth, made to fit the larger girls, box front, 4 pearl buttons, tailor stitched, romain lined, in colors blue, tan, castor, black—
**$5.00**

### Stockings to Wear to School.

80 dozen children's fast black hose. They're heavy ribbed, good and ordinarily worth 15c—
**10c**

50 dozen of an extra brilliant black child's fine ribbed hose that we have been selling at 25c—
**15c**

50 dozen boys' very extra heavy black ribbed hose. It'll bother them to kick holes in these very soon—
**17c**

30 dozen of something extra good. Boys' double ribbed, double heavy spliced foot black hose; a regular 40c number—
**25c**

## A Modern Shell Game.

Not the legendary kind, that used to work the country fairs, and the unwary simultaneously. Oh, no! This is only an importer's sample line of shells, composed of and made into the following combs:—side combs, back combs, neck combs and pompadour combs. The game consists of your picking from the lot what suits your fancy and paying us about one-fourth what it's worth. Oh, it's easy!

**Five Cents.**
That's the price that buys from one lot of side combs, empire back combs and children's braid pins; fancy designs.

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In this lot you will find side and back combs; all sizes, all shapes, plain and fancy; your pick from about 200 styles.

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**Twenty Cents.**
Plain side combs and pompadour, three-quarter and full rhine stone settings, enough to make one's hair stand on end, at the price.

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The best in the bunch, extra heavy, carved back and plain shell, pompadour and side combs, with flashy rhinestones.

**A Handkerchief**
This is worth blowing about because it's worth 90c. Very fine quality ladies' hemstitched and lace embroidered. We have seen and sold same things for 35c.
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A kid fitting corset, short French style, black with colored figures and plain colors ..... **$1.00**

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## A Word to Parents

While you are down town shopping today for the children's sake, you might as well do a little good for yourself. We can interest you over any counter in the store, and you will find some so magnetic as to draw money from your purse.

### 12½c Dress Flannels.

We didn't intend to do this to you until Monday, but then we thought what's the use, there's only about 3000 yards, let 'em have 'em today (Saturday,) 10 yds only to a customer; we've been selling them all week as advertised, at 8½c .....
**5c**

### Pillows.

**Sofa Pillow**
A white muslin covered, down filled pillow, size 14x16 inch; cheap at 25c.
**15c**

**Bed Pillow**
Of good size, filled with clean feathers, covered with good ticking, and will weigh 3 lbs.
**55c**

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## The Drug War Wages.

We're making the drug trust look like a singed cat. We're making those "bold, brave wholesalers" think of home and mother. They are the dubs who conspired

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**What Fools These Mortals Be**

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[COAST RECORD.]

# BLISS GONE OUT OF LIFE.

## *Mrs. Bardin is Tired of Galling Bonds.*

## *A Salinas Beet Grower Sued for Divorce.*

## *No Clew to Mahoney's Slayer—Dairy Convention Closes. Father Kills Son.*

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SALINAS, Sept. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Surprise was manifested here today by divorce proceedings brought by Mrs. Mary H. Bardin against James L. Bardin on the ground of desertion. Plaintiff resides in Los Angeles with her parents, and has been there for over two years. Some time ago she had a leg amputated for some nervous complaint, and a few months since had a second operation performed.

The defendant is one of the pioneer beet growers of Salinas Valley, and owns thousands of acres. Just after the second operation on his wife, Bardin went on a pleasure trip to the Paris Exposition and over the continent of Europe. The couple have not lived together for about three years, and owing to this fact and not having any children, many quarrels resulted.

Although married for over twenty years it has only been recently that any estrangement has been noticed, and it is thought the plaintiff has desired her husband to sell his large interests here and move to Los Angeles, or else to visit her more frequently. The suit will probably be allowed to go by default, and Bardin will make a liberal allowance to his wife.

### HOW MAHONEY DIED.

### OFFICERS HAVE ONLY THEORIES.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

STOCKTON, Sept. 13.—The mystery surrounding the death of J. W. Mahoney of San Francisco, found dead four miles from Tracy less than a hundred feet from the Southern Pacific track last Monday morning, is no nearer solution today than it was yesterday. The officers are still at work on the case, however, endeavoring in every possible way to find a clue that will at least make plain the manner of his death, if not indicate the possible assassin, if there was one. There is still some division of opinion as to whether Mahoney was murdered, or whether he fell from the train accidentally, or deliberately jumped off. The great sticking point in the matter is the total absence of any motive for such a crime. It suggests that perhaps he was killed by a lunatic such as evidently perpetrated the recent Folsom murders.

Another theory is that Mahoney, who had had trouble with his father, jumped from the train in a despondent mood, injuring himself severely; that he then made his way to where he was found, and while suffering there someone—doubtless the man who drove the cart which made the tracks—came along and sought to take him to town. That he expired while in the cart, after which the driver, fearing that he might be charged with the man's death, dumped him out where he was found, and then hurried away. In his death agonies he might have inadvertantly torn the others collar from him, which was found near the scene. This state of affairs would account for the presence of the coat on the track also.

Sheriff Sibley went to Tracy this morning to investigate the case. He telephoned the District Attorney that he had learned that Mahoney was in Tracy last Saturday and had inquired at the postoffice for his mail, though there was none for him at that time. A letter addressed him from San Francisco on the 10th did not reach Tracy until the 11th. The contents of the letter may throw some light upon the mystery.

The officers have another clue, however, the nature of which will not be divulged at present.

### STATE FAIR AWARDS.

### MEDALS, CUPS AND PLATES.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 13.—The following gold medal awards were made today at the State Fair:

John Hennigan, Woodland, best exhibit of draft horses.

C. A. Durfee, Los Angeles, best exhibit of standard-bred trotters, consisting of McKinney and his get.

Joseph Marsen, Lovelocks, Nev., best exhibit of live stock other than horses (shorthorn and Hereford cattle.)

John Sparks, Reno, Nev., special gold medal for herd of Herefords.

Henry Glide, Sacramento, special gold medal for flock of Rambouiette sheep.

James Whittaker, Galt, souvenir cup for herd of Herefords.

A. Meister & Sons Company, Sacramento, best display of machinery, implements, etc., buggies and carriages.

Benicia Agricultural Works, Benicia, souvenir plate for best display of agricultural implements.

Weinstock, Lubin & Co., Sacramento, best exhibit dry goods and textile fabrics.

Hollbrook, Merrill & Stetson, Sacramento, best exhibit of mechanical products, hardware, etc.

John Breuner Company, Sacramento, souvenir cup for excellence of exhibit, household furnishings.

Mrs. Elizabeth Shields, best exhibit of horticultural products.

Buffalo Brewing Company, Sacramento, best viticultural and liquor exhibit.

Mrs. Alida Barrett, Sacranento; best exhibit of agricultural products.

D. Johnson & Co. (El Dorado Cannery,) best exhibit of canned fruits, jellies, pickles, etc.

J. A. Stanton, San Francisco; best painting in water colors and oil, and best pastel work.

Hale Bros. & Co., Sacramento, special gold medal for best exhibit in the pavilion.

### METHODIST CONFERENCE.

ANNUAL REPORTS PRESENTED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

PACIFIC GROVE, Sept. 13.—The real work of the forty-eighth annual California Methodist conference was begun this morning. Presiding Elder Dr. S. Gale, of Napa district, made his annual report. The most important event of the morning session was the announcement of the organization last night of practically a new conference out of one of the districts of this one. The Japanese district has so greatly increased since the annexation of Hawaii that its care is considered too large a task upon one presiding elder, and therefore this district has been

# PIMA INDIANS ACTING UGLY.

## *Incited by a Priest to Keep Their Children Out of School.*

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.,) Sept 13.—Actuated by religious infatuation inspired by a priest, a large number of Pima Indians on the Sacaton reservation have refused to send their children to the Indian school there, and Agent Hadley is powerless to force them to obey the school law. Deputy Marshal Porterie, armed with warrants issued here today by Federal Commissioner Johnstone, will leave tomorrow with other deputies for the reservation to aid the agent.

Trouble occurred there Monday when twenty bucks flatly refused to send their children to the school and threatened violence if Hadley attempted to execute the order. The Pimas have heretofore been the most peaceful of all the Arizona tribes, but are said to be aroused now to a high pitch of excitement, and more serious difficulty is probable.

organized into the Pacific Japanese Mission, embracing all the States of the Pacific Coast and Hawaii. The report of the Japanese district was presented by Dr. M. C. Harris, the presiding elder. In the course of his report he touched upon the harm done to mission work among the Japanese by the recent anti-Japanese excitement on this coast, as well as the plague scare and subsequent quarantine of San Francisco.

Hon. J. Carroll, missionary secretary of the Methodist Episcopal church, addressed the conference briefly on his department work.

Bishop Hamilton presented the clergy from other conferences who are visitors here, and each was cordially welcomed.

Dr. W. W. Case, presiding elder of the San Francisco district, presented his report, which showed very marked progress in the district. Dr. A. J. Gustafson, presiding elder of the Swedish district, reported his charge in a most promising condition.

This afternon the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of this conference held its anniversary exercises.

Rev. R. E. Wenk of Yreka delivered the annual missionary sermon. The evening session was taken up with Epworth League affairs in preparation for the International Epworth League convention that is to be held in San Francisco in May, 1901. Rev. M. H. Alexander, chairman of the Conference Epworth League Committee, presided, and an address by Bishop Hamilton was a notable feature of the evening. Addresses were also made by Rev. Thomas Filben, Dr. J. N. Beard and Hon. William H. Waste, members of the 1901 committee.

### NEWS OF THE WHALERS.

### BALENA MAKES GOOD CATCH.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—The first news of the winter catch of the whalers has been received. It came from the steam whaler Balena, which had not been heard from since she went into winter quarters. Twenty-five whales was the result of the winter's work. The Balena was frozen in at Bailey Island, far above the mouth of the Mackenzie River, and the courier who brought out the news left the steamer on March 11. The whales were all bowheads, the largest of the leviathans and the most productive. It is estimated that the Balena's catch is worth over $100,000.

### AMATEUR SAFE-WRECKERS.

### SECURE BUT ONE DOLLAR.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

OAKLAND, Sept. 13.—Amateur cracksmen forced an entrance to Hook's furniture establishment at the Eleventh-street entrance during the night and with hammer and jimmy wrecked the interior of the safe, but secured no plunder. Finding nothing in the safe, they turned their attention to the drawers in the office desks and broke every lock. This work netted them $1 in 2-cent postage stamps.

### BROKE A SHAFT.

### ACCIDENT TO GOLDSBOROUGH.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

TACOMA (Wash.,) Sept. 13.—While going at a record-breaking clip today in a preliminary test of her machinery, the torpedo-boat destroyer Goldsborough broke the rocker shaft on the port engine. Chief Engineer Bodmer estimates that she was going over thirty-three knots per hour and everything was working beautifully. No damage was done to the other machinery and a new shaft has been sent for, which will require about a month to replace. The accident will cost the builders about $5000.

### FATHER KILLS SON.

### SAD ACCIDENT AT ESTRELLA.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN MIGUEL, Sept. 13.—The seven-year-old son of Chalmers King, a well-known rancher at Estrella, was accidentally shot and instantly killed by his father last evening. The father and son were in the orchard shooting birds and when the elder King reloaded the rifle, the gun was prematurely discharged. The bullet struck the child in the region af the heart and pierced his body, lodging under the skin below the right shoulder blade.

### BRIEF COAST DISPATCHES.

#### Unhappy Woman Ends All.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 13.—Despondent owing to divorce proceedings instituted against her by her husband, Mrs. Freda Adler, wife of Ben Adler of San Francisco, has committed suicide here by taking carbolic acid.

#### River's Flow to Be Measured.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—H. C. Riser, acting director of the United States Geological Survey at Washington, has written the Chamber of Commerce that the department has ordered work on the systematic measurement of the flow of the rivers in Central and Northern California, and the survey of certain reservoir sites existing upon their headwaters.

#### Wealth from Skagway.

SEATTLE, Sept. 13.—The steamer City of Seattle arrived yesterday from Skagway with 177 passengers and $650,000 in gold.

[POLITICAL.]

# STOPPED BY HIS WIFE.

## *Wilson Not Allowed to Be a Quitter.*

## *Democratic Deadlock at Phoenix Unbroken.*

## *Roosevelt Doing Good Work in South Dakota—Bryan Among Hoosiers.*

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.,) Sept. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] All day long the Democracy of Arizona wrestled over the nomination of a Delegate to Congress. All day a Conference Committee worked over the claims of Wilson and Smith to the deciding votes in the Maricopa county delegation.

At 10 o'clock such pressure was brought on Col. Wilson that he started from the conference chamber for the convention hall to announce from the platform his withdrawal from the race. On the way down the theater aisle to the platform he was stopped by his diminutive wife, who told him she had thought he would sooner die than be a quitter. Wilson pondered a moment, then turned around his ponderous form and went back to his contest for renomination.

The Conference Committee has appointed a seventh member, Dr. J. M. Ford, a recent convert, two years ago chairman of the Republican Territorial Central Committee, but he has not signified his acceptance of the delicate appointment.

The convention was on the point of separation with two divisions when an agreement was made to adjourn till morning.

### SMITH HAS VICTORY IN SIGHT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.,) Sept. 13.—The Territorial Democratic Convention is still in deadlock over the choice of nominee for Delegate to Congress. A conclusion is likely to come in the morning, and Smith has victory in sight. At one stage in the proceedings today Wilson started for the stage to withdraw from the contest, but his wife followed him, and, aided by friends, persuaded him to fight it out. The entire day was occupied by wrangling over seating the delegation from Maricopa county.

# ROOSEVELT ON THE STUMP.

## *Teddy Discusses Labor, Trusts and Other Questions in South Dakota.*

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

ABERDEEN (S. D.,) Sept. 13.—Gov. Roosevelt closed a long day of speech-making with an address in this city tonight. The exercises were preceded by a long torchlight procession, and an elaborate display of fireworks. The meeting was held in the open air, and the Governor was listened to by a large and enthusiastic audience.

Gov. Roosevelt confined his address to the questions of labor and the trusts. He made frequent references to Richard Croker and Augustus Van Wyck as heavy stockholders in the alleged New York ice trust. He closed with the following words:

"The American who tries to incite one man against another, whether he be westerner or easterner, whether he be a wage-worker or a capitalist, or whatever form it takes, the man that does that, is doing a thing that is calculated to inflict an irreparable wrong on the country. We need not the gospel of the knave in our affairs, but we need the gospel of brotherhood and honesty. We need honesty to protect the rights of every man, and we should endeavor to wrong no man. In 1893 when the wage-worker set out to down the capitalist, he downed him. They got him down, but they were under him when he was down. Now, this year we ask you to judge our future by our past. You have had four years of the Presidency of McKinley, and you are going to have four years more. I will say no more."

### SPEECH AT WATERTOWN.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WATERTOWN (S. D.,) Sept. 13.—The special train bearing the Roosevelt party stopped this forenoon at Castlewood, where Gov. Roosevelt addressed a large crowd from the rear platform.

A stop of an hour was made at Watertown, a small town which enjoys the reputation of having sent more men to the Spanish war, relatively to the population, than any other county in the United States. The meeting was in the open air, and Gov. Roosevelt was followed by Gov. Shaw of Iowa, Senator Nelson of Minnesota and Col. Lee Stover. Gov. Roosevelt said in part:

"With an effrontery which it is difficult to determine if certain of our Democratic friends have the audacity to say that they represent the principles of the founders of the Republican party. If they had any feeling or a drop of the blood that ran in the veins of the great original statesman who conducted the country through the four years of civil war and then gave up his life that his country might live, they would turn with indignation from the candidate of Democracy who speaks about the consent of the governed as regards the Philippines, knowing that one of the chief chances of his election and the absolute triumph of his party consists in nullifying the doctrine in some of the Southern States which Lincoln gave his life to free.

"We form a party of coherent principles and now if the leaders of our party of 1860 were alive they would find us quoting their words and acting up to their principles and rising up to bid them welcome in our councils. Our opponents say they belong to the Democratic party, but they have none of its old principles left. That is a fine confession of faith for a party to make.

"This country, in spite of the Democracy, just keeps moving; when you move the top of any mass you move the bottom, too. As we move along the Democrats gradually move and accept as true what we have accepted as true about a quarter of a century before. Mr. Bryan now does not venture to quote the words of any Democratic candidate for President in 1880, 1884 and 1888. Now there is not one of the Democrats that says a word about Hawaii or quotes a single expression that they used about Hawaii eight years ago or six years, but they will soon move up to the Philippines just as they have moved up to Hawaii, and in two or three years they will move up past the Philippine question."

### HEADQUARTERS GOSSIP.

### NATIONAL CAMPAIGN NOTES.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Ex-Gov. Stone, chairman of the sub-committee of the National Democratic Committee, announced tonight that the national headquarters in the East will be located in the Hoffman House in this city during the present campaign.

Mr. Stone will remain here and devote his entire time to the campaign. Chairman Jones will divide his time between the headquarters in the East and the Chicago headquarters.

Congressman Richardson, who is at the head of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, will spend a portion of the time at Congressional headquarters in Washington, but will remain in New York as much as possible.

It is definitely announced at the National headquarters that Bourke Cockran would speak for Mr. Bryan in all sections of the country.

It was announced at the Republican headquarters that Cornelius Vanderbilt will be offered his choice of a nomination for Congress, in one of the down town districts, or a nomination for Assembly in one of the Republican districts in the Fifth Avenue section of the city, where a nomination is equivalent to an election. A Republican nomination for Congress in one of the down town districts is usually regarded as an empty honor, as this section of the city is generally Democratic. It is said that young Vanderbilt would prefer a foreign mission.

# BRYAN AMONG THE HOOSIERS.

## *He Makes Several Speeches in Northern Indiana—Visits Ohio Today.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—W. J. Bryan left early this morning for Fort Wayne, Ind., where he spoke this afternoon. From Fort Wayne, he will go to Toledo and thence early tomorrow to Columbus, O., where he is to speak tomorrow afternoon. Friday night he will proceed to St. Louis, where he will deliver a speech before the traveling men. This speech will be devoted largely to showing that the tendency of the trusts is to limit the opportunities of young men. He will use as his theme the solicitous inquiry of King David: "Is the young man Absolom safe?"

Mr. Bryan will speak in East St. Louis Saturday afternoon. Sunday night he will cross the State of Missouri for a brief tour through southeastern Kansas. He will go to his home in Lincoln next Wednesday and for a brief time after that will visit several points in Nebraska.

The start today was not marked by any special demonstration.

### TALKS IN INDIANA.

PLYMOUTH (Ind.,) Sept. 13.—Mr. Bryan was greeted by quite a crowd at the railroad station ere, and he spoke to the men from the rear platform of the car. He said that there were many coming to the Democratic party from those deserting it. He said the Republican party is trying to fasten upon the country militarism as imperialism and wants to engraft upon the country a colonial principle.

### ATTENDS TWO CAMPFIRES.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

FORT WAYNE (Ind.,) Sept. 13.—Tonight Mr. Bryan attended two campfires, the first in Liberty Park, the second at the Princess Rink, and made non-partisan speeches at both places.


# Boys' School Suits....

## $3.50 FOR BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS WORTH $5.00

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For Ages 8 to 16 Years.

Double-breasted—knee-pant style—best value we ever offered.

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School days at Jacoby Bros.---but---we're not forgetting the "grown ups." Bargains, plenty of them for all---but---no trash. Judge the store by the cheapest things here.

## September Shoe Sale.

Girl's Shoes for 50c. Women's Shoes and Oxfords for 85c. Men's and Boys' Shoes for $1.00. Big bargains but mere incidents of this Great Shoe Sale. New fall shoes are here—and we're showing some new wrinkles in shoe making no other store can show.

**Cushion Sole Turn Shoes For Women** Three-fifty here and $5.00 elsewhere. The most comfortable and coolest shoe on earth, and every bit of style, fit and shoe goodness that can be put in a $5.00 shoe. **$3.50**

**Women's $3.50 Shoes** Patent leather vamps with kid tops, kid vamps with cloth tops and all kid. Mannish shapes, Goodyear welt extension soles. All widths and sizes. Thank our resident Boston buyer for this bargain ..... **$2.19**

**Men's $5.00 Shoes** Black Vici Kid, Calf, Box Calf and Patent Leather; Tan, Russia Calf, Vici Kid and Titan Calf; Goodyear welt soles. All stylish toe shapes ..... **$2.53**

**Boys' $1.50 Shoes** Black and tan, spring heels, 9 to 13½, black with heels, sizes 12 to 2 and 2½ to 5½. Lace only. Good strong uppers and soles, and well made..... **$1.00**

**Girls' $1.50 Shoes** Tan kid, lace, and both button and lace in black kid. Good neat toe shapes, dressy looking, but very serviceable. All sizes from 11½ to 2, but not many of size 2..... **97c**

## $15, $17.50 and $... Men's Suits $9.85

These are the last of the spring suits—we could sell these for fall suits—just as others do—but that's not our way of doing business—although the suits are here enough for fall. We've so many new fall suits to show we'll have to get these suits out of the way. Saturday night ends it—if you want one of these suits for $9.85 come before 10 p.m. Saturday.

## The New Fall Suits for Men

Are on display and sale. Among others, our new high grade clothing, the making of which we supervised, and concerning which we can truthfully say, absolutely the best and most perfectly finished clothing in America today. We say this not to boast—but merely to have you know how good this clothing really is. $8.50 to $35.00.

**Men's $2.50 and $3.00 Hats** You took all the last lot in two days—more this time—enough until Saturday night. Pure fur stiff hats, in brown and black; fedoras in pearl, cedar, brown and black. Raw edges and bound. Pure silk trimmings—first quality sweat bands. Shapes are the latest to be had. **$1.5...**

## Mother, Bring your boys to us

There's not a thing a boy wears, day or night, but what it is here, and at a lower price than you can match it for elsewhere. All the new styles in boys' things are here, and you'll find bargains—good goods and a very low price.

## 400 Boys' Suits

Spring weights, quite heavy enough for fall wear. Reduced as follows:

$3.00 Boys' Suits $1.95 Ages 3 to 15
$4.00 Boys' Suits $2.45 Ages 3 to 8
$4.50 Boys' Suits $2.95 Ages 7 to 15
$5.00 Boys' Suits $3.50 Ages 3 to 15
$6.50 Boys' Suits $4.00 Ages 3 to 16
$7.50 Boys' Suits $5.00 Ages 3 to 16

## $10.00 Long Pant Suits $5.75.

Coat, vest and long pants for boys from 12 to 19 years. No—not the very latest styles—tho' you'd never know it we didn't tell. They are spring suits—medium heavy weight and they're good, pretty and fairly priced at ten dollars. The new fall suits, these, too, nearly half price.

**Boys' Hose** Fast black, extra heavy ribbed hose, seamless double heel, knee, toe and soles, the pair..... **20c**

**Boys' Waists** K. and E. brand percale waists, Byron and Columbia collars, all sizes, we charge less than others..... **33c**

**Boys' Caps** Gray corduroy, fancy striped worsted and blue flannel golf caps, new and pretty..... **19c**

**Boys' Sweaters** All wool and worsted sweaters, with cape or roll collars; blue, maroon, scarlet and white..... **$1.00**

**Boys' Shirts** Fancy colored percale shirts, with two collars and separate cuffs to match..... **60c**

**Boys' Underwear** Natural gray and camel's hair merino wool underwear, shirts or drawers..... **46c**

**Women's $1.50 Kid Gloves** First—good $1.50 quality—second, all colors, shades and sizes—third and last but not least the sale price, 60c, real kid, dressed or undressed, opera or street shades and white and black; we are so certain of their merit that we'll fit and warrant every pair..... **60c**

**Fleece Lined Underwear** Silver gray, jersey ribbed, fleece lined underwear, vest or pants, all sizes; these garments are of a quality that would call for a 25 per cent. higher price in any other store..... **25c**

**Women's $2.00 Petticoats.** Extra quality sateen petticoats in gored, scarlet and black; generously cut, with very wide ruffles—lined; only fifty-three of these skirts, and every one a bargain at..... **$1.29**

**Golf Skirts** Others are asking $7 for a skirt not quite as good as these; light and dark gray cloth, plaid back, double stitched seams; eight and a row of stitching at bottom; inverted pleat..... **$4.65**

## Mesdames and Misses.

Come and see the styles—you may see some of the new ones at almost any good store—but come and see them *all*. More suits and skirts and waists and silk waists and skirts and waists—Oh—yes! And more golf skirts and capes. After you've seen the other things, stop admiring them for a moment and learn how very little a garment you like best will cost. A great day for you women and your purses when this store branched out a woman's store. Dress as much better—and—pay so much less.

**New Tailor Suits for Women** So very many kinds and styles and prices—difficult to particularize; here's one, a very good and low priced; Oxford homespun, strapped tailor jacket with short back, tailor stitched seams; inverted fan back skirt; man tailored and it shows for it..... **$1.5...**

**Tailor Jackets.** Double-breasted English broadcloth jackets; silk edges and tailor stitched throughout, all seams, black and a pretty castor brown; you'll find it difficult to find their equals for $8 elsewhere..... **$5.0...**

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# COAL MINERS' GRIEVANCES.

## *Causes of the Coming Unpleasantness.*

## *Mine Workers' Officials Issue an Address.*

## *Public Appealed to for Support in the Impending Struggle. Gloomy Outlook.*

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 13.—In order to place before the public the conditions existing in the anthracite fields of Pennsylvania, President John Mitchell and Secretary-Treasurer W. B. Wilson of the United Mine Workers of America issued today to the public a statement giving the causes that have led up to the strike. After the statement had been given out for publication, President Mitchell said:

"At this time I do not believe anything will take place between now and Monday that will prevent the strike. All the information coming to my office today predicates that the struggle is practically on.

"I have been receiving messages all day from the anthracite region which indicate clearly that the inforcement of the strike and the issuance of the order has met with the approval of the miners. There are a few details to be arranged, but the men are prepared for the fight. I have not received today any information direct or indirect to show that the operators have receded from their position."

### REASONS FOR THE STRIKE.

The statement follows:

"INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.,) Sept. 13.—The members of the national executive board of the United Mine Workers of America, realizing that the material welfare of a large number of the American people will be injuriously affected by a suspension of work in the coal fields of Pennsylvania, knowing the irresistible power of a concentrated public opinion, and having a profound respect for the opinions of their fellowmen, have decided to make a general statement for the information of the public.

"No one can have a greater appreciation of the far-reaching effect of a strike of the anthracite coal miners. The coal miners and their families, the coal companies and the coal carriers are but a small portion of the vast multitude whose interests are so directly and indirectly connected with the coal trade that a conflict of such a magnitude will affect their welfare.

"The domestic fuel supply of the West; the great manufacturing industries of the East; the wholesale and retail business establishments; the great ocean, canal and railroad transportation interests; laboring men and capitalists will all be affected by such a gigantic struggle. That the world may know that we have done all that honorable men can do to avoid the conflict, we herewith submit a few facts for careful consideration:

"The average wages of the anthracite miner for many years has been less than $250 annually. During that period of time the cost of many of the necessaries of life has been increased 20 per cent. An increase in the cost of living without a corresponding increase of wages is equivalent to a reduction in wages.

"The laws of the State of Pennsylvania make 2400 pounds a ton of anthracite coal, yet anthracite coal miners are compelled to mine from 2700 to 4000 pounds for a ton, and in addition to that, are docked exorbitant amounts, often reaching 12 per cent of their daily earnings for any impurities which may be sent out with their coal. Where they are paid by the car, instead of being required to furnish a well-rounded heap on the car at the breakers, as was originally agreed to, they have been gradually compelled to increase the amount of coal to each car by building the same perpendicularly from six to eighteen inches above the edge. They are compelled to purchase the powder used in mining from mine employers, paying $2.75 per keg for a grade of powder that can be purchased elsewhere for $1.50 per keg, and which wholesales for about $1 per keg. They are required by many of the companies to deal in 'pluck me' stores, or leave their employment. They must pay to the company $1 per month for a doctor, whether they need him or not, and have no voice in saying who the doctor shall be.

"The smallness of their earnings, together with the great cost of living have compelled them to take their children from school before they have reached the age prescribed by law, and put them at work in the breakers, in order to keep the family from starvation.

"When any miner, feeling the burden of these conditions, has gone to the management and asked to have them removed, he has been told that if he does not like it he can quit. When they have organized at any colliery and have sent committees to the managers, asking to have their grievances remedied, the committee has either been discharged or they have been told that the evils could not be remedied because of the competition from other companies. When the representatives of the miners of the whole region have met and asked the coal companies to meet them in joint convention to arrange wages and conditions upon an equitable basis, so that each would know what his competitor was paying and no advantage could be taken of any one, their petition for a conference has been completely ignored.

"When the business men, clergymen and other outside influences have appealed to the coal companies to correct some of the evils complained of, their requests have been denied and when, as a last resort, the officers of our organization have wired the presidents of the great railroad companies who control the anthracite coal fields, offering to submit the whole question to arbitration, the proposition has been treated with silent contempt. Having exhausted all other means of adjustment, we had reached the point where we must either advise the miners of the anthracite region to continue working under these unjust and tyrannical conditions, or counsel strike.

"We have chosen the latter and, having done so, we invite a thorough, impartial and public investigation of the conditions existing in the anthracite coal fields. We believe that the great American heart throbs in sympathy for the down-trodden and oppressed, whether in this or any other land. We know the great power of the public press in molding public sentiment, with an abiding faith in the justice of our cause and a consciousness of the knowledge that whosoever else may villify and abuse us, the great Jehovah knows and understands the rectitude of our purpose, we appeal to the American people and to the American press as the greatest arbiters on

# COAL MINERS' GRIEVANCES.

## Causes of the Coming Unpleasantness.

## Mine Workers' Officials Issue an Address.

### Public Appealed to for Support in the Impending Struggle. Gloomy Outlook.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 13.—In order to place before the public the conditions existing in the anthracite fields of Pennsylvania, President John Mitchell and Secretary-Treasurer W. B. Wilson of the United Mine Workers of America issued today to the public a statement giving the causes that have led up to the strike. After the statement had been given out for publication, President Mitchell said:

"At this time I do not believe anything will take place between now and Monday that will prevent the strike. All the information coming to my office today predicates that the struggle is inevitable on.

"I have been receiving messages all day from the anthracite region which point clearly that the indorsement of the strike and the issuance of the call has met with the approval of the miners. There are a few details to be settled, but the men are prepared to fight. I have not received to-day information direct or indirect that the operators have resigned from their position."

EXCUSES FOR THE STRIKER.

The statement follows:

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.,) Sept. 13.—The members of the national executive board of the United Mine Workers of America, realizing that the material welfare of a large number of the American people will be injuriously affected by a suspension of work in the coal fields of Pennsylvania, knowing the irresistible power of a concentrated public opinion, and having a profound respect for the opinions of their fellowmen, have decided to make a general statement for the information of the public.

"No one can have a greater appreciation of the far-reaching effect of a strike of the anthracite coal miners. The coal miners and their families, the coal companies and the coal carriers are but a small portion of the vast multitude whose interests are so directly and indirectly connected with the coal trade that a conflict of such a magnitude will affect their welfare.

"The domestic fuel supply of the West; the great manufacturing industries of the East; the wholesale and retail business establishments; the great ocean, canal and railroad transportation interests; laboring men and capitalists will all be affected by such a public struggle. That the world may know that we have done all that honorable men can do to avoid the conflict we herewith submit a few facts for careful consideration:

"The average wages of the anthracite miner for many years has been less than $500 annually. During that period have the cost of many of the necessaries of life has been increased 20 per cent. An increase in the cost of living without a corresponding increase of wages is equivalent to a reduction in wages.

"The laws of the State of Pennsylvania make 2400 pounds a ton of anthracite coal, yet anthracite coal miners are compelled to mine from 2400 to 2600 pounds for a ton, and in addition to that, are docked exorbitant rates, often reaching 12 per cent. of their daily earnings for any impurities which may be sent out with their coal. Even though they are paid by the car, instead of being required to furnish a well-rounded heap on the car at the time it was originally agreed to, they have been gradually compelled to increase the amount of coal in each car by building the same perpendicularly from six to eighteen inches above the rims. They are compelled to purchase the powder used in mining from their employers, paying $2.75 per keg for a grade of powder that can be purchased elsewhere for $1.50 per keg, which wholesales for about $1 per keg. They are required by many of the companies to deal in 'pluck me' stores or leave their employment. They are required to pay to the company $1 per month per doctor, whether they need him or not, and have no voice in saying who the doctor shall be.

"The smallness of their earnings, together with the great cost of living, have compelled them to take their children from school before they have reached the age prescribed by law, and compel them to work in the breakers, in order to keep the family from starvation. Any miner, feeling the burden of these conditions, has gone to the management and asked to have them changed, or he has been told that if he does not like it he can quit. When miners organized at any colliery and appointed committees to the management asking to have their grievances adjusted, the committee has either been discharged or they have been told that the evils could not be remedied because of the competition from other districts. When the representatives of the miners of the whole region have formally asked the coal companies to confer with them in joint convention to arrange wages and conditions upon an equitable basis, so that each would be on an equal basis with that of his competitor was paying to his employees a advantage could be taken of this request, their petition for a conference has been completely ignored.

"The business men, clergymen and other outside influences have appealed to the coal companies to correct some of the evils complained of but their requests have been denied and ignored. As a last resort, the officers of the miners' organization have wired the presidents of the great railroad companies which control the anthracite coal fields, asking them to submit the whole question to arbitration, the proposition has been met with silent contempt. Having exhausted all other means of adjustment, we had reached the point where we must either advise the miners of the great anthracite region to continue to work under these unjust and tyrannical conditions, or counsel strike. We have chosen the latter and, having done so, we invite a thorough, impartial and public investigation of the conditions existing in the anthracite coal fields. We believe that the great American heart throbs in sympathy for the down-trodden and oppressed, whether it be in this or any other land. We know the great power of the public mind in molding public sentiment. We have an abiding faith in the justice of our cause and a consciousness of knowledge that whosoever else may vilify and abuse us, the great American people knows and understands the rectitude of our purpose, we appeal to the American people and to the American press as the greatest arbiters on earth, to assist us and sustain us in our hour of trial.

"On behalf of the national executive board, United Mine Workers of America.

"JOHN MITCHELL,
"President.
"W. B. WILSON,
"Secretary-Treasurer."

BUSY HEADQUARTERS.

Today was a busy one at headquarters. All day long telegrams were being received and sent out.

Secretary-Treasurer Wilson and his force of clerks were busy answering the heavy mail that came in, touching upon strike matters, and throughout all of the offices there was an air of subdued excitement. Frequently the two chief executive officers of the organization were closeted together in consultation upon some phase of the situation brought up by the news from the lieutenants in the field.

There is practically no means of arriving at any estimate of the resources of the miners available for the maintenance of the people to be called out by the strike. President Mitchell and Secretary Wilson, the latter the official head of the finance department of the organization, have firmly declined to give out any figures on this point.

"It would be a simple matter for the operators," they said, "if they knew what amount of money we had, to wait until it was exhausted. Moreover, it would be folly on our part to make public at this time any information upon which an estimate of our financial strength could be based."

At the close of last year there were 93,184 bona fide miners in the Mine Workers' organization. At the convention in January it was decided to levy upon each of these members an assessment of 25 cents a month to be placed in the hands of the national executive board for use as a defense fund. Part of this money has been used in small strikes, but the bulk of it is probably available at this time. Since January of the present year there has been a very material increase of the membership, which, of course, carries with it an increase in the defense fund. Aside from the money in the hands of the national executive board, local unions in a number of States have accumulated large sums of money in their treasuries which, while not at the command of the executive officers of the organization, will probably be placed in the strike fund.

Contributions from other trades unions can be counted on and from these facts it can be seen that the miners are prepared for a long fight.

Tomorrow will be spent in preparations for such emergencies as may arise during the strike. Saturday night President Mitchell will go to Hazelton and from there to different points in the field for the purpose of holding mass meetings.

MINERS WILL GO OUT.

STRIKE WILL BE GENERAL.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

HAZLETON (Pa.,) Sept. 13.—Meetings of the local branches of the United States Mine Workers were held tonight throughout the anthracite coal districts. Indications are that the strike will be general, and that most of the union men will go out. By tomorrow night it is expected work will be suspended at practically all the collieries. The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western and Delaware and Hudson companies are swearing in deputies to be in position to guarantee protection to any of their men who will go to work Monday.

It is believed that if the strike is a long one many Hungarians and other foreigners will return to Europe.

Temporary quarters for the United Mine Workers have been prepared here.

MANY HAVE ALREADY QUIT.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SCRANTON (Pa.,) Sept. 13.—The strike of the anthracite coal miners of the Lackawanna district is practically certain, for every mine that is working today is short-handed, and some are entirely shut down. Throughout the upper valley there was almost complete stoppage, excepting that the men obeyed the order of National Committeeman Dilcher and President Mitchell to remove their tools.

It is expected that not a mine will operate tomorrow anywhere between Forest City and Shickshinny in this district, and it is said at headquarters here that the game is expected of other districts. The mine-workers' officers here deprecate all stoppage in advance. They want the order properly carried out, but will not restrain the men from immediate action. They are assured that on Monday next there will be a complete response to the strike order.

At the offices of the Lackawanna Company it was stated today that the decision to stand together in refusing the miners' demands will hold unbroken. The refusal is based almost wholly upon the claim that the bituminous coal operators are behind this movement. No dealings will be had with the men who represent such interests, declared General Superintendent Lewis.

COLLIERIES SHORT-HANDED.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

HAZELTON (Pa.,) Sept. 13.—Some of the collieries here were short-handed today, as some members of the union had remained at home, believing that the strike order was to take effect at once. The members of the United Mine Workers' organization will strike to a man, but many miners have not joined the union, and their action is problematical. Undoubtedly many of them will strike. I. P. Pardee, operating the Colerane, Milnesville and Evan collieries, employing about 20,000 men, has given notice that if there is a strike the Colerane and Milnesville properties will be abandoned. Benjamin James, at the strike headquarters today, said: "The indications are that there will be a complete tie-up in the entire anthracite field."

OUTLOOK AT SHAMOKIN.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SHAMOKIN (Pa.,) Sept. 13.—A careful canvass of the miners here indicates that despite the claims of the operators that enough miners will report for work to keep the collieries running after next Monday, all or nearly all of the mines between Traverton and Mt. Carmel, employing over 14,000 men and boys, will likely be idle before seven days have elapsed.

WORKING AT WILKESBARRE.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WILKESBARRE (Pa.,) Sept. 13.—All the collieries of this region are in operation today, with practically full forces. Nearly all the heads of the big companies today say they believe but a small proportion of the men will strike on Monday. All union men will be expected to take their tools out of the mines Saturday.

STRIKE WILL BE OBSERVED.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

HARRISBURG (Pa.,) Sept. 13.—The strike order by the United Mine Workers of America will be generally observed by the miners in the anthracite region of Dauphin county.

OFFER OF DEPUTIES.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

HAZELTON (Pa.,) Sept. 13.—National Committeeman James, who is directing the preparations for the strike, called on Sheriff Harvey of Luzerne county today and offered, in the event of the swearing in of deputy sheriffs, to furnish any number of men up to three thousand, to guard public property and preserve order. In making the offer he said that the acceptance of the assistance would not cost the county or State one penny.

DEMOCRATS ELATED.

REJOICING OVER MINERS' STRIKE

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—The coal miners' strike was the subject of serious consideration at Republican national headquarters today. Senator Hanna and Vice-Chairman Payne held a long conference with the resident members of the Advisory Committee as to the best steps to take that a political color be not given the industrial difficulty in Pennsylvania.

At the close of the conference neither Chairman Hanna nor Mr. Payne made a statement, but Mr. Heath, chairman of the Press Committee, said: "We are not yet sufficiently advised as to the situation in Pennsylvania to warrant the expression of any view, and it is not a matter to be talked of without careful consideration of all the facts."

At Democratic headquarters Secretary Walsh was in a happy frame of mind over the success of the Croker element, and said he was sure the coal strike would benefit the Bryan ticket.

"It will aid us to demonstrate to the working people that combinations of capital are dangerous and constitute a standing menace to labor. The strike will cause agitation and agitation is education."

PACIFIC COAST MINERS.

DISSATISFIED WITH THEIR LOT.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—Coal mine owners on this Coast are apprehensive of trouble with their miners in view of the present condition of affairs in eastern coal-mining districts. The Coast miners, according to prominent owners, are not dissatisfied with the amount of their wages, but threaten trouble if the working day is not reduced from ten to eight hours, a move which the owners assert is not feasible, and which, if persisted in, will result in the price of coal on this Coast being materially increased and the output considerably decreased.

AFRAID OF SOLDIERS.

UNION LABORITES' PROTEST.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

UTICA (N. Y.,) Sept. 13.—At the State Federation of Workingmen's meeting today, a resolution was adopted which protests against large standing armies as being a menace to the liberties of organised wage-earners and a heavy burden upon them.

The resolution declares it to be the firm belief of the federation that no contingencies could possibly arise that would warrant a larger army, if the safe, wise and humane course heretofore followed by our government were continued.

Silk Mill Idle.

ALLENTOWN (Pa.,) Sept. 13.—The Givernaud silk mill, employing 450 hands, is idle. Three hundred weavers struck today against a decrease of 18 per cent. in wages. The superintendent of the mill said the cut was only temporary.

Butchers on Strike.

BUFFALO, Sept. 13.—Eight hundred butchers employed in the packing-houses of the Jacob Dold Packing Company and Klink's and Danahy's packing-houses are on strike owing to the refusal of the Dolds to discharge two men who refused to pay their dues to the union. Dold claims to have 150 men at work today.

HOSPITAL SCANDAL.

PRETORIA, Sept. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The testimony of medical men here generally is to the effect that the statements by Burdett-Coutts, regarding the condition of hospitals, were generally exaggerated. At Bloemfontein and Kroonstadt there was some extra suffering when the pressure became great, owing to the lack of skilled orderlies, but there was nothing to warrant Burdett-Coutts's statements.

Gen. Roberts showed that in January he ordered the cutting of transports. He had to march a large army quickly through to get to the railway at Bloemfontein. His policy was justified. There was difficulty in coping with the sick and wounded on the march. For the first sixteen days Bloemfontein supply trains that arrived were insufficient for the daily requirements. Then they began slowly to accumulate a reserve until they had forty-five days' stock when they moved forward.

All the time the enemy was massing and threatening Gen. Roberts's communications. He ordered all possible measures taken for the care of the sick. The wounded were sent down with the least possible delay. Gen. Roberts frequently visited the hospitals and was satisfied the army and civil surgeons did their duty well.

Mr. Stanley testified that the war correspondents were allowed to make unrestricted reports. Only telegrams were read. Letters sent to the press were never read, as correspondents throughout the war could testify.

Burdett-Coutts was allowed on the lines as an extra Times correspondent, to visit the hospitals when he requested. He asked to see a field hospital in operation and this request was also granted.

# The Broadway Department Store

DON'T WORRY

## $10 Will Be Given Free to 2 School Children.

We are holding an exciting contest. Every registered school child in Los Angeles County under the ninth grade may take part. We want you to write

### A Story or Article and Illustrate It with Two Drawings.

Don't make it longer than 400 words. Leave it with Miss Bettersworth, our Book Chief, before Saturday, September 22. Be sure and write plainly your name, age and address on it, for of course you know the child's age must be taken into consideration. MISS MARY L. JONES, OUR CITY LIBRARIAN, WITH MISS BLANCHE A. PUTNAM, HER FIRST ASSISTANT IN THE JUVENILE DEPARTMENT, have liberally offered their services as judges. We know no one will do it as well as they—or as impartially.

# A Bargain-Friday You Can't Forget

One of those incomparable, money-saving days when prices are named that will not be duplicated—when odds and ends, short lengths and broken assortments are sold for what they will bring. Not only one department, but the entire house participates. They all combine to make the Broadway Headquarters for Friday bargains.

For Bargain-Friday

**Standard 5c Calicoes 2c**

Of course they are all short lengths, but not too short—usable lengths—black, gray or colors. They should all go before noon, and they will if enough women happen to read this. From the piece you pay 5c and 6c—from these short lengths—2c.

For Bargain-Friday

**Best 10c wrap. Flannels 6c**

Figured and fleece backed—an imitation of the French flannels. This one bargain should bring out scores and scores of women today—6c.

For Bargain-Friday

**Best Manchester Chambray 6¼c**

In the favorite pinks and blues—the same quality, weight and width for which you would pay 10c any place else you go. We've several hundred yards in mill-lengths that will make furious selling today at 6¼c.

For Bargain-Friday

**Heavy Outing Flannels 5c**

Factory lengths from 6 to 15 yards each—in all the pretty flannel colors—stripes or checks—it's a quality we couldn't sell you from the bolt less than 8½c, but buy from these pieces while they last for—5c.

For Bargain-Friday

**Yard-wide Percales 5c**

Checks or stripes—good colors—the quality that sells ordinarily for 10c we are going to give you for half that today—5c.

For Bargain-Friday

**Men's All Linen Collars 4c**

4-ply—good, stylish and perfect—they are the best to be had in the city at 12½c, but because we are short of a size or two in a style or two, though we have all sizes in the lot, thus the five or six hundred we have on hand, will go today for one-third their worth, 4c.

For Bargain-Friday

**A Lot of Boys' Caps 5c**

They are the last of our 19c and 25c lines—odds and ends. Yes, putting the two lines together makes a splendid choosing—take your choice today, 5c.

For Bargain-Friday

**Men's 15c Half Hose 8⅓c**

Just the thing for present wearing. They are wool in grays or browns. To make the bargain bigger we have sprinkled with them a lot of odds and ends of good cotton hose, worth even more than 15c, but take your pick today while they last 8⅓c.

For Bargain-Friday.

**5c Sale at the Drug Counter**

Good Every-day Staple Articles

Here are bargains to stir you. It's done to keep up bargain interest.

Best 10c Bristle Tooth Brushes, 5c.
8-inch Rubber Combs, coarse or fine, 5c.
10c box of Nine-hour Corn Cure, 5c.
Large 15c Mirrors, 5c.
10c box of Bunion Plasters, 5c.

For Bargain-Friday

**All This Thread 1c**

It's a grand grouping of values, and seldom happens even here, where strange things are always taking place.

The Silk Thread is worth 5c.
Black and every color.
Marshall's Linen Thread worth 5c.
100 yd. spools—black or brown.
Kings' Thread worth 2c.
200 yd. spools, black or white—all numbers.

It's these fine, standard brands, that all you women want and for which you would be willing to pay full price, but take your pick today at one price of 1c.

For Bargain-Friday

**10c Torchon Lace for 3½c**

3600 yards—bright, new patterns, in widths from one to four inches—lace that sells in the ordinary way at ordinary stores for 10c, will go here today if it lasts long enough for 3½c.

For Bargain-Friday

**Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries 5c**

Also a sprinkling of veilings and braids; a grand aggregation of values, all widths and qualities; if you would buy from duplicate pieces in stocks you would pay 10c to 20c a yard; these are remnants—lengths you can use though—several hundred pieces will be on a table for you to pick from today at one price, yard 5c.

For Bargain-Friday

**Bates' Bed Spreads 99c**

First, nothing ails these; they are perfect and good in every particular. Heavy in weight—full in size—new in patterns. Some folks, with a pretense to give bargains, offer these at $1.25—that's what we have today for—99c.

For Bargain-Friday

**$2.25 Lace Curtains 98c**

They are what have been used for decoration—a little soiled perhaps pin picked here and there. For you folks who have time and disposition to fix these for use, will find here a rare bargain. Only a few dozen—they can't last all day at this less than half price—98c.

For Bargain-Friday

**Child's Petticoats 11c**

Made from the best 10c quality of outing flannel, in pretty pink and blue stripes or checks—muslin waists—our 15c ones for today only 11c.

For Bargain-Friday

**All This Hosiery 9c**

Child's, Ladies' or Infants'.

Full line to start with, but we can't promise how long they will continue.

The Child's—are fine ribbed—black or tan.
The Ladies'—are plain black or polkadot.
The Infants'—are wool or cotton and fine ribbed.

Not a pair is worth less than 12½c—most of them 15c. They are all on tables for you to pick from today at the one price of—

For Bargain-Friday

**33⅓c Silkoline Vests 19c**

Pretty pinks and blues, with low necks and no sleeves, with fancy edges and taped with silk. They are the last few dozen of our 33⅓c line that you can have today at 19c.

For Bargain-Friday

**Boys' 50c Shirt Waists 39c**

Of the prettiest kind of percales; laundered, made up natty and neat, with plaited fronts; separate collar—garments for which we have never thought of asking less than 50c are yours today only for 39c.

## The Busy Corner---Fourth and Broadway.


[SOUTH AFRICA.]

# END OF WAR VERY NEAR.

## German View of Oom Paul's Flight.

## Mrs. Kruger Too Sick to Join Her Spouse.

### Botha Reported to Have Resigned His Command—Investigation.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The German papers, discussing Mr. Kruger's arrival at Lorenzo Marques, interpret it as tantamount to the end of the war.

MRS. KRUGER LEFT BEHIND.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LORENZO MARQUES, Sept. 13.—Mr. Kruger telegraphed his wife to join him before sailing, but she replied that her health will not permit it.

It is reported that Commandant-General Louis Botha has resigned the chief command of the Transvaal forces to Commandant Viljoen.

HEAVY ENGAGEMENT.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Lord Roberts reports from Machadodorp, under date of Wednesday, September 12, that Gen. French was heavily engaged that day with the Boers in the hills west of Barberton, and that Gen. Hutton had gone to Gen. French's support.

KRUGER'S FLIGHT.

SOME OF THE CONSEQUENCES.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says:

"The flight of President Kruger to Lorenzo Marques may enable Gen. Botha to open negotiations with Gen. Buller and bring the war to an end. President Kruger, however, may return to Kumatipoort, or, if he stays at Lorenzo Marquez, Botha may continue the struggle, dividing his force into small bands. All conclusions based upon Reuter's announcement of Kruger's arrival in neutral territory are premature, since the door through which he is reported to have retired from the Transvaal remains open. If Gen. French has occupied Barberton and the British columns are advancing toward Kumatipoort, the door may be closed within a week, and Botha, released from all obligation to keep his burghers in the field.

"The closing scenes of the protracted campaign tend to illustrate the truth that without a central base the Boers are helpless. If the British government had allowed President Kruger to purchase Delagoa Bay when he was anxious to do so, he would not now have a place of refuge in the present emergency, nor would his presence there be a source of any uncertainty respecting the possibility of his return to the Transvaal. The puchase of that neutral base ten years ago would probably have prevented the outbreak of the war, since the Boers have depended from the outset upon having the door open for their own gold to go out, and for supplies to come in, and also upon having a bridge for retreat when they were in the last ditch.

"The news, however, is still too indecisive to justify premature talk about a 'last ditch.' Buller is pressing on after Botha over the mountains, but has captured abandoned stores rather than commandoes in arms, and French is still a long way from Kumatipoort.

"The official record of the operations conducted by Gens. Methuen, Barton and Hildyard, and the generals in the Free State proves that the territories occupied are swarming with guerrillas and disconcerted Boers, who are unwilling to abandon the struggle. This is one of the worst features of the situation. Resentments caused by the campaign are embittered and opposition to British rule will have to be stamped out by strenuous and rigorous police work during a long period.

"The political effects of the reports of President Kruger's retreat from the Transvaal have been instantaneous. Rumors of the dissolution of Parliament at an earlier date than previous reports have indicated are already in the air."


Lace Curtains Portiers Draperies

Fine Furniture Makes Fine Bargains.

## Parlor and Library Tables on Sale This Week.

There is not a poor one amongst them—as good and perfect and stylish and graceful as any you'll ever buy at full prices. It's not a skimpy lot of them either, but

### All We Have Are Reduced.

—Oak stands this week only 75c and 85c.
—Folding whist tables for $1 are going fast.
—Real mahogany tea tables worth $15 for $8.50.
—This round library table worth $18.50 now $13.50.
—Here are handsome $25 oak library tables for $19.

But see them in the south window—there's where you'll get a better idea of the bargains.

## A Peep at the New Carpets.

They are here in all their glory.

This stock of ours has a value all its own and a degree of elegance and exclusiveness that renders our Autumn opening the great carpet event of the year. The one reason why you should come to Barker's for your carpets is the wonderful selection you may have. Styles are gradually changing from the small decorative designs and light effects to the stronger and more durable colorings.

These novelties, as well as all the staple, everyday sorts, are here in endless variety.

# BARKER BROS.,

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Bedroom Suits Iron Beds Hallstands Sideboards Wardrobes Couches Dressers Chiffoniers Chinacloset Music cabinets

Carpets Orientalrugs Linoleum


### Maine Election Returns.

LEWISTON (Me.,) Sept. 13.—Returns received from all but two of the 533 cities, towns and plantations in the State, show the following vote for Governor: Hill (Rep.,) 72,156; Lord (Dem.,) 39,911; Rogers (Pro.,) 3193; Lermond (Soc.,) 45. Republican plurality, 32,245.

### President at Canton.

CANTON (O.,) Sept. 13.—President and Mrs. McKinley arrived in Canton this evening on a special train from Somerset. They expect to remain here for some time. Both seem to be in excellent spirits. There was no formal demonstration at Canton.

### NOTICE TO PATRONS.

"Liner" advertisements for The Times left at the following places will receive prompt attention. Rate: one cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge for any advertisement, 15 cents:

F. D. Owen, Drug Store, Belmont avenue and Temple street.

Boyle Heights Drug Store, 1950 East First street.

Chicago Pharmacy, F. J. Krusil, Ph. G., prop., Central avenue and Twelfth street.

National Pharmacy, corner Sixteenth and Grand avenue.

E. W. Dronkel's Prescription Pharmacy, Twenty-fourth and Hoover. Phone Blue 1202.

The Times will receive at a minimum charge of 50 cents "liner" advertisements by telephone, but will not guarantee accuracy.

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WANTED—PARTNER WITH SMALL CAPITAL, one used to selling goods on the street; must be a good talker. For particulars, call Friday between the hours of 9 and 12, morning, at 123 THIRD ST., room 21, upstairs; manufacturer. 14

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WANTED—ERRAND BOY WITH WHEEL. Apply MARVEL MILLINERY CO., 341-343 S. Broadway. 14

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WANTED — PRESSER. WALKER, THE tailor, 622 S. Main st. 14

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WANTED — NURSE FOR 1 CHILD, $25; cook and second girl, $30 each; cook and nurse, Redlands, $30, $25; cook, Santa Monica, $30; 2 cooks and wife, $60; assistant, institution, $20; cook, private school $30; another, $25; hotel cook, $30; several housegirls, Redlands, $25 and $20; 11 second girls, $25 and $20; housegirls, Pomona, $20; many city places; second girl, Santa Barbara, $20; MRS. SCOTT and MRS. HAWLEY, 324 S. Broadway. 14

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## THE RAILROADS.

**Rates to Certain Coming Events. Change of Time—Matters in Honolulu.**

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The Santa Fé will change some of the beach trains after this week. Beginning Sunday, the train to Santa Monica will leave at 5:47 p.m. and return at 7:15 a.m. After Sunday the train to Redondo on week days will leave at 9:55 a.m. and return at 5:34 p.m. The rest of the Sundays in September trains will run to Redondo at 8:30 and 9:55 a.m. and at 1:30 and 4:30 p.m. The last train back from Redondo will be at 8 p.m.

Eckert Skinner, for some time with the Phillips-Judson Tourist Company, who left here a year ago for his old home at Pontiac, Mich., apparently in broken health, is back again perfectly well.

Hugh B. Rice is back from Honolulu after an absence of some weeks. He finds the island city growing apace, and the improvements of a substantial character. The Chinese - Japanese quarter, burned over in the big fire, is still unbuilt. The former occupants wish to put up shacks where the old ones stood, but the authorities will not permit this, being determined to banish the Mongols further from the center of the city. The business men would like to acquire the property and make it a business center, but there is some trouble about titles to the land. Much difficulty is experienced in the matter of labor. The contract system being abolished by the American occupation, the coolies are disposed to misuse their unaccustomed independence. C. M. Walton, who, with his wife and son, came up from the island with Mr. Rice and went on to Boston, is the manager of the Pahala sugar plantation on the Island of Hawaii, far to the north. He has been trying the coöperative plan with his Japanese laborers, and he finds it works well. The coolies, who got $15 per month under the old contract system, make $35 to $38 on the new plan. They naturally take kindly to the innovation.

The railroads have made a rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip from all points of Southern California to the Midway Carnival. Tickets will be on sale September 25 and 27.

Valentine Peyton, formerly chief owner of the Mt. Lowe Railroad, has returned from Danville, Ill. He reports a disagreeably hot summer and that he is glad to be back.

## Y.M.C.A. CLASSES.

At 8 o'clock this evening the opening exercises of the evening educational classes of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held. Rev. Dr. R. S. Cantine will make a short address, and the Y.M.C.A. Guitar, Banjo and Mandolin Club will provide music. The certificates won in the international examinations last April will be presented by the president of the association, J. Rosa Clark. There are twenty-one to be given, as follows: Arithmetic, J. J. Willson; book-keeping, E. B. Avery, H. E. Eccleston, Fernand Vigne, Jr.; shorthand, Lester Thompson, H. LaV. Twining; business law, G. R. Brookman; advanced mechanical drawing, L. Westcott and Charles L. Hyde; free-hand drawing, John M. Cleaver, Dan Belling; electricity, W. M. Bixby, Jesse O. Marsh, D. Rittenhouse; applied mechanics, W. M. Bixby; Spanish, A. C. Garber, A. H. Merrill, F. D. R. Moote, F. C. White, A. L. Witmer, C. A. Yarnell. W. E. Howard, chairman of the Educational Committee, will preside at the meeting. After the public exercises the twenty instructors will meet the students, announce the lessons for the first recitations next week, and enroll those desiring to enter.

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[OUR DAILY STORY.]

## A CREATURE OF LUCK.

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FRANK HARTMAN was a ne'er-do-well. He was down on his luck, and his luck was down on him.

He had one failing, which was the chief cause of all his hard luck—he was fond of the cup that inebriates, so, one by one, his friends dropped away.

He had turned his wonderful talent as a teller of tales to account by writing for the press, and was employed on a Washington paper, until the slipshod style, common to hard drinkers, lost him this means of subsistence. He became poorer and more shabby, until want and despair—akin to that which actuated Dumas, while the Lady of Camelias had glory in store for him—drove him to seek his own death.

Taking a last drink, he cocked his revolver and pressed the muzzle against his temple, snapped the trigger, but there was no explosion.

Something was wrong.

Throwing down the faithless weapon which refused to end his sorrows, he made his way in a half demented condition to the street. Looking up the thoroughfare, he saw a pair of horses running away, coming directly toward him. Behind them rocked and swayed a private carriage. Without a second for reflection, he rushed a few steps and flung himself directly in the pathway of their headlong flight.

Either fate or the suddenness of his action stopped them, and again he was prevented from committing suicide. The occupants of the carriage were a man of wealth and station and his invalid wife. The owner, supposing that the reckless youth had deliberately perilled his own life to do a brave deed, and had been struck down by the horses' feet, raised him tenderly, and overwhelming him with thanks, pushed a bill into the hands of the man whom he considered his deliverer from certain death or life as a cripple.

BUT THERE WAS NO EXPLOSION.

Dusty, breathless and completely sobered by the accident and its result, Frank crept back to his shabby room and smoothed out the wrinkled note. A feeling of hysterical choking came upon him when he found himself the owner of $500. "Kismet!" he ejaculated. "It is fate! Allah is great! I will not die, but live."

The revolver still lay where he flung it. He had only tried to fire one cartridge. Coolly withdrawing the others, he pitched the weapon out of the window, then went to the nearest hotel and ordered a bath. The production of the bill and the story of his prowess won him immediate attention. His order upon a men's outfitter was soon honored—for cash—and in an hour, bathed, shaved, clothed—as became a gentleman—and in his right mind, he sat down to a deliberately served dinner within a half a block of the spot where he had that day twice attempted to end his own life, from starvation and hopelessness. The wheel of fortune had turned, and luck was on top for the would-be suicide.

Ere long his well-known conviviality drew around him some of the old set, and the $500 melted away. When he got to his last $10 bill he had drunk himself into a befuddled state, and was once more desperate and ready to die. Wandering aimlessly along the avenue, he found his way to a railroad depot, and slammed down his last coin back before the clerk, who knew him well.

"Where to, Frank?" he asked.

"Give me a ticket to h——!" he growled.

"It's where I'm bound for, I guess, anyway."

"Better go to the sale of your old place, Frank," replied the friendly clerk.

"Give me the card, then," and seizing his ticket, Frank boarded the train.

By another freak of fortune, that day was to witness the sale of the old homestead, where Frank was born, which, clogged with debt by his reckless life, had long ago been lost to him. The new owner, unable to keep it, put it up, under the hammer.

Frank had some dim idea that he was assisting at his own funeral, as he sat in front of the auctioneer and watched the final passing away of his ancestral acres. Among its belongings were several promising race horses, so the bidding was started at a good figure and shortly reached $15,000.

Now a rumor with magnified accounts had reached the auctioneer that Frank was well up in the world once more, and had fallen on his feet, so he paused and addressed him personally.

"Mr. Hartman, can't we get a bid on the old place from you? You surely are not going to let a chance like this slip! Why, since Mr. —— bought this property, it has increased in value tremendously. It's worth $50,000 if it's worth a cent! There's money in those horses, too, and you're a sporting man. Come! You've got luck lately. Bid in the old home and live among us all again."

The friendly tone of this harangue awakened a chord in Frank's heart. Tears started to the unhappy man's eyes; memory rebuked him, and he was silent. Just then, an adjournment was made for the old-fashioned southern dinner. Frank was carried literally on the tide of public opinion to the "tavern," where liquid refreshment was administered until he "forgot his poverty and remembered his misery no more."

Returning to the sale, he wagged his head approvingly at the auctioneer when the bidding recommenced.

Then ensued a scene which is thus told in the language of one of the witnesses:

"Frank swore he'd be d——d if his grandfather's clock and the house where it had stood for ninety years, should go again into the hands of strangers. His old neighbors, who had full faith in his return to wealth, cheered him on, and as the bids advanced, $500 at a jump, in a brief time the sum of $30,000 was reached. Frank sat silent and his head drooped. The secondary effect of the juleps was coming, and he was nearly asleep. The auctioneer was making his last appeal; hammer was lifted. 'Going! going! for $30,000; this valuable and greatly improved property going for a song! The horses, alone, are worth that! The whole thing goes together! Going! going!—for the last time—Mr. Hartman; will you let your old home go? Will you let this awful sacrifice continue?"

Frank's befogged brain gathered itself together for a final effort, and made a mighty leap. Rising to his feet, he glared for a moment on the latest bidder, then turned a comprehensive, drunken leer upon the whole gathering.

Suddenly straightening up and stretching out his right arm to the auctioneer, who still held up the hammer, he roared out with Websterian grandeur, until the tide of his big voice reached the outer edge of the crowd:

"Twenty-five thousand dollars for my old home!"

Silence ensued. The auctioneer glanced around. No one offered to raise this unprecedented jump.

"Going—going—gone! to its rightful hereditary owner, Mr. Frank Hartman,

for $25,000! I congratulate you, Mr. Hartman!" and the fat auctioneer wiped the perspiration from his face, and stepped down.

Frank was bewildered, but although confused by drink and excitement, he had sense enough left to recollect that he had bought the property for $25,000, without $10 in his possession. He looked around.

Then occurred another turn of that famous wheel which has sent so many thousands of the earth's population to misery, crime, or the seventh heaven. A cloud of dust on the turnpike, a pair of galloping, lathered horses, a carriage just from the train, and Frank's benefactor of the $500 bill entered his life once more in the hour of disaster.

Rushing up to the auctioneer, who still held the hammer, he exclaimed:

"Am I too late? I rent this place; I am prepared to pay up to $25,000, by check on the —— Bank of Washington."

"Sorry, sir, but the place has just been knocked down to the former owner; you must deal with him," and the auctioneer waved his hand toward the wretched Frank, who was endeavoring to break away from the flood of questions and congratulations. The last arrival hastened across the crowd and seized Frank's hand:

"Sell me the place, sir!" he said. "My wife has set her heart upon it, and she has not long to live. I'll make you a liberal advance. You paid $25,000; I'll give you $30,000!"

Seeing that Frank hesitated, he said: "Take this check!—call it even; I'd give the full value of the place rather than disappoint my dying wife."

"Take him up, Frank; don't be a fool!" shouted the auctioneer.

"Ten thousand profit!"

Frank, still befuddled, nodded for the last time, and in fifteen minutes found himself the owner of cash to the amount of $10,000, and the change from the $10 bill with which he had bought the ticket to the sale. The wheel had turned for the last time, and Frank seemed to comprehend it. It is a satisfaction to us that he fell into better hands, for he accepted an offer from the new owner to manage the stock farm, and train the horses for races. The outdoor life and the friendship of the man whose life he had unwittingly saved, changed him to a great degree.

Fortune, too, remained his friend, and today he is by purchase, again the owner of his inherited acres, and one of the most prosperous farmers and racing men in Virginia.

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## SALT LAKE RAILROAD.

**Commercial Bodies Start Their Campaign for the Purchase of a Big Block of Bonds Here.**

The special committees representing the Chamber of Commerce, Merchants' Association, Board of Trade and Jobbers' Association, called by those bodies for the purpose of considering the proposition offered by the projectors of the Salt Lake road, for placing some of the bonds of that enterprise in that city, met yesterday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce. Each of the organizations was represented.

F. W. Braun presided, and C. D. Willard acted as secretary. After some discussion, the following resolutions were offered by F. W. King, and seconded by W. E. Roberts, and were passed by unanimous vote:

"Whereas, the projectors of the Salt Lake and Los Angeles Railroad have indicated their purpose to offer the people of Los Angeles $1,000,000 of the bonds of that enterprise, under the promise that as soon as the bonds are subscribed for the work shall begin; and whereas, these committees have assembled on the request of the four commercial bodies of the city, to wit: The Chamber of Commerce, the Board of Trade, the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, and the Associated Jobbers, for the purpose of considering the proposition, and of laying out the work; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, that a permanent organization should be established for the purpose of undertaking this work, the membership of which shall be the combined membership of the various commercial bodies whenever their directors shall adopt the report of these resolutions, as tendered by their representatives on this assembled committee.

"Resolved, that the present chairman shall appoint from this committee a Committee on Permanent Organization, who shall select a president, two vice-presidents, a treasurer and secretary out of the general membership of the commercial bodies, and these five shall constitute an executive committee.

"Resolved, that as soon as these officers are selected, and the existence of the organization confirmed by action on the part of the various boards of directors of the commercial bodies, they be instructed to inform the projectors of the Salt Lake line that the Los Angeles organization is ready to begin work on any definite proposition which they have to offer."

The following were then appointed by the chairman as the special committee to select the force for the new organization: J. O. Koepfli, W. B. Cline, J.M. Elliott and M. A. Newmark.

A meeting of this committee will be called at an early date. The action of the combined committees will now be reported to the various commercial organizations, and on their adoption of the report, the permanent organization to begin the work will come into existence.

D. McMillan, wholesale toy dealer of San Francisco, is a guest at the Nadeau.

## MEXICAN ANNIVERSARY.

**The Mexican Residents of Los Angeles Have Arranged for a Celebration Saturday Night.**

The Patriotic Mexican Society will celebrate their ninetieth anniversary of their country's independence at Turner Hall on Saturday evening. An extensive programme has been prepared, and every effort will be made to have an enjoyable time. The programme is as follows:

Overture, "Semiramis," orchestra; "The Resolution of Independence," read by Mateo Sanchez; "Caprice," B. Fritz; music, zithers and guitar, by L. Becker and Prof. Y. Escabar; oration in Spanish, by V. A. Rendon; romanza, "If You Would Love Me" (Dense,) by Miss Carlota Geautit; mazurka, "Czarina" (Ganne,) executed on piano, violin and mandolin, by E. Sierra and his pupils; oration in English by Hon. E. W. Camp; romance, "The Arrow and the Song" (Pinsut,) sung by the renowned baritone, George Abraham Smith; polka, "Culver" (M. Steinhauser,) clarinet solo by Prof. Y. Escovar; chorus from the opera "El Hada del Lago," by the Mexican composer, C. Meneses, sung by forty ladies and gentlemen; duet, "I Live and Love Thee," song, by Mr. and Mrs. George Abraham Smith; Spanish dances, "Santiago" (Corbin,) by Ida Larieux, dressed in costume.

The Mexican Consul, G. Andrade, will proclaim the names of the heroes of Mexico's independence.

Grand tableau, "Apotheosis to Hidalgo," and singing of the Mexican national hymn in chorus, and solos by Misses Geautit, Gonzales, Ybarando and Mr. J. M. Valle.

A grand ball will wind up the evening. The members of the Junta Patriotica Mexicana, who have arranged the celebration are: Honorary president, Mexican Consul G. Andrade; president, Dr. V. A. Rendon; secretary, M. Sanchez; treasurer, A. B. Roth, and A. J. Flores, Prof. E. Sierra, Prof. Y. Escobar and F. J. del Pozo.

## FLYING ON THE TIMES FLYER.

*Doing the "Kite" on the Sunday Morning Special—Bright Red Streaks.*

It takes something stronger than baking powder to raise a fellow out of a nice warm bed at 4 o'clock on a Sunday morning and have him hustle into his clothes and leave his happy home in order to get to The Times office at 4:45 o'clock. If you are not lucky enough to catch a ride on a milk wagon you have to walk down town, but the walking is lovely in the middle of the street at that time in the morning.

One Sunday morning recently we accepted the kind invitation of Harry Chandler, vice-president of The Times, to fly the kite on their flyer. We arrived at the office a few moments ahead of time and were glad of it, for it gave us an opportunity to see how a great newspaper is made ready.

In addition to the hundred-odd regular employés, both sides of Broadway were lined with men and boys working like beavers getting their papers in shape before starting on their routes. Dozens of horses and carts were tied along the curbs, and a half-hundred small boys were waiting in line at that early hour to get a supply of papers and sally forth—or perhaps forth—to wake you lazy folks up with their cries of "Morning Times!"—"All about the tidal wave!" etc. We watched the men load into the wagons the half carload of papers to be served up to the people of Southern California for breakfast. The bundles for each town are carefully labeled, the outside wrappers being a bright red—(the bright things on the inside are read when the papers reach their destination.) When the wagons are loaded the host calls out "All aboard!" and you climb up and hunt as soft a bundle as you can to sit on, for the driver starts his team down First street on a dead run, and the wagons are not flyers—they are more like grounders or bouncers. While the passengers were hitting the high places the thought occurred, what if the Magazine portion of the papers should explode? But we consoled ourselves with the thought that if the Magazine did explode we would leave more pieces than the driver, who was a lightweight.

At La Grande Station the train was waiting. The last wagonload of papers was quickly tumbled aboard, Engineer Warner pulled the throttle of old No. 23 and we were off. The bundles which are to be shot out without slowing down are put into gunnysacks.

Lincoln Park and Raymond had their bundles served in sackcloth, but at Pasadena we stopped a moment, and from the immense bundles that went tumbling after each other from both sides of the car one would have thought the quantity sufficient to supply every man, woman and child in the town. Things looked blue around the Green as we shot past it, for that magnificent hostelry is closed for the season.

Lamanda and Santa Anita were sacked on the fly, but at Monrovia, Azusa and Glendora we slowed down to save sacks and keep from tearing those immense bundles to pieces.

San Dimas and Lordsburg got cloth-covered packages shot at them, but at North Pomona we stopped a few seconds, and at Claremont took the siding to give the right of way to the overland, but were off again, on again and gone again in a couple of minutes.

North Ontario, Cucamonga, Etiwanda and Rialto have their papers unceremoniously fired at them, but at San Bernardino we stopped five or six minutes to unload the big supply for that town and transfer a truckload to the train for Redlands and Highland.

While this was being done, No. 23 watered up, and away we went around the other side of the Kite. Colton got a full stop, but Highgrove only a comma.

At Riverside we stopped two or three minutes and reduced our load considerably. This is the only place we received anything in return for our early call—an extra-sized watermelon and a basket of grapes were presented to us; and, don't you know, they just seemed to touch the right spot!

At Corona the flyer slowed down, but at Crazy, Yorba and Olive we just unceremoniously fired the sack-covered bundles at them.

At Orange there was a stop of three minutes to transfer the contents of one corner of the car to Santa Ana, Tustin, etc. We slowed down again at Anaheim and Fullerton, but Northam and La Miranda got theirs on the fly.

The bundles for Whittier were carefully deposited at Los Nietos, and we took no chances on tearing the big packages we dropped at Rivera.

We pulled into La Grande Station a few minutes before 9 o'clock, full of enthusiasm and watermelon—the round trip completed. We had had a delightful trip. Our host and Conductor Hickson had entertained us royally and pointed out the interesting bits as we flew along through the four richest counties of Southern California.

F. B. SILVERWOOD.

**"Round the World."**

The Redlands Facts of September 1 closes a handsome editorial mention of the press equipment of The Times with these words:

"Certainly The Times has reason to feel proud of its record, which has brought such an extensive patronage in advertisers and readers that so many rapid and valuable machines are required to work off the edition now daily required to fill the demand. It is especially creditable, when it is considered in how short a time comparatively this, the leading metropolitan paper of Southern California, has built up its business. Round goes the world, furnishing to mortals the complements of activity and rest. Round goes the cylinders, furnishing to those same mortals the changes constantly going on all over the surface of the revolving globe. The Times gets and prints the news."

## SCHOOL BOARD'S PROCEEDINGS.

*Teachers Assigned and Transferred—Plans Made for High School Patio.*

The City Board of Education met yesterday afternoon, to make the final dispositions necessary to put the school machinery in operation on Monday next. The members of the board were all present, except Mr. Washburn.

As to the boundary lines between Rosedale and Harper school districts, Superintendent Foshay recommended that Twenty-fourth street from Leoti to Lasalle avenue be made the boundary instead of Adams street, and that La Salle avenue be the western boundary instead of Leoti avenue. The board acted accordingly, and fixed the boundaries as suggested:

TEACHERS' COMMITTEE REPORT.

The report of the Teachers' Committee was adopted as follows:

First—That the resignation of Amina McNaughton, Jennie Perley, Pearl E. Fisher and Geneva Caldwell be accepted.

Second—That leave of absence be granted as follows: To W. C. Twiss, to June 30, 1901; to Rose Cowan and Belle McKenzie, to end of first term; to Alma S. Brigham and Jeannette Armstrong, to October 15, 1900.

Third—That Beatrice Reynolds be elected a regular teacher and assigned to the classical department of the High School; that Henry G. Crocker and Katharine Ross be elected as substitute teachers in the High School; that Minnie S. Baxter, Annie Williamson, Carrie Atkinson, Jessie Tritt and Mary Cooper be elected as substitute teachers for primary and grammar grades; that Ada Mae Brooks be elected to substitute teacher in the Sloyd department, and assigned to the San Pedro-street school; that Jessie Rubottom be assigned to the first grade in Sand street.

Fourth—That Bertha C. Prentiss be assigned as teacher of cookery in the Sixth street school; that Mary Blanford be assigned as teacher of cookery in Gates, Alpine and Second street schools; that Katharine Barker be assigned as teacher of cookery in Norwood and New Macy street, schools; that Grace R. Burnett be assigned as teacher of Sloyd in the Harper school; that Hattie B. Hollingsworth be transferred from San Pedro street school to fourth grade, Union avenue school; that Florence Simpkins be assigned to the eighth grade at Spring street school; that Rena McPhail be assigned to the first grade at Norwood street school; that Daisy Graham be transferred from Norwood to Castelar street school; that Elizabeth Sullivan be assigned to seventh grade at San Pedro street school; that Mildred Thomas be assigned to sixth grade at Eighth street school; that Maude M. Owings be assigned to the seventh grade at Heilman street school.

Claude Faithful, a teacher in the Sloyd department, was granted leave to teach in the Orphans' Home outside of school hours.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The report of the Committee on Industrial Education was adopted recommending the purchase of supplies for the industrial and kindergarten departments; also that a room be provided for the supervisor of cardboard Sloyd.

The last payment on the contract for building the High School annex was ordered paid.

The salary of the janitor for the High School was fixed at $55 per month.

Following this action, Mrs. Kate Chadsey was elected janitor, with a proviso that she be required to employ a competent landscape gardener at least a half day each week, to have a general care of the grounds. This foreshadows the carrying out of the design of the board for the experiment of an exotic garden in the patio of the annex. The design contemplates a rockery and fountain in the center, two large circular beds of exotics at either end, and lawns and shrubbery surrounding.

TRANSFER OF TEACHERS.

The following transfers of teachers were made: Edith Joy transferred to Olive street school; A. W. Plummer to Sixth street school; M. C. Bettinger to Thirtieth street school. In the last mentioned case there was a great demand from the Thirtieth street school for the retention of Mr. Bettinger, who had been assigned elsewhere. One of the incidents was the appearance before the board some time since of a little girl to appeal for her favorite teacher. How much weight her appeal had may never be known, but the movement to get him back was successful.

The granting of leave until December 3 to Mrs. Parsons, which was passed upon at the last meeting of the board, was reconsidered yesterday, and a motion adopted that the leave be not granted, and that Mrs. Parsons be notified by telegraph. She is now occupying a position in the city of Chicago.

TEACHERS' MEETING.

There will be a general teachers' meeting Saturday forenoon at 9:30 o'clock at the High School.

## VENTURA COUNTY.

HUENEME GIRL LEADS.

VENTURA, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] There was a big surprise in the Queen of the Carnival voting contest today. Miss Lewanee Woodruff of Hueneme received 444 votes, which gives her the lead over all other candidates. Miss Woodruff is a popular and handsome young lady of Hueneme. She has many admirers in this seaport town, who will endeavor to elect her the queen of the Ventura street fair. Over five hundred votes were cast today. The vote at noon today is as follows:

Miss Lewanee Woodruff, Hueneme, 444; Miss Helen Nideever, 421; Mrs. Charles McDonell, 265; Miss Lucy Ruis, 247; Miss Bertha Roth, 236; Miss Blanche Rice, Oxnard, 150; Miss Jessie Todd, Santa Paula, 133; Miss Minnie Jones, 127; Miss Ada Stone, Fillmore, 65.

King Neptune issued his proclamation this morning. It is unique.

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### THE TIMES' TELEPHONES.

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### THE CHINESE SITUATION.

Although Gen. Chaffee is prepared to leave Peking with the troops under his command at a moment's notice, the order to leave has not yet been sent him from Washington, and it may not be sent for some time, as the diplomatic side of the matter has again become the object of attention.

Li Hung Chang has given assurances to our government that the lives and property of Americans will be protected henceforth throughout the Chinese Empire; also that outrages on missionaries and native converts will be stopped. Some doubt still exists as to Li's ability to redeem these pledges, but if it shall be made to appear that he can do so, it will be evidence of the existence of at least a de facto Chinese government, and there will be no further obstacle to the opening of negotiations.

Great Britain has replied to the Russian proposal for the evacuation of Peking, declining to withdraw the British forces in advance of a satisfactory guarantee from the Chinese government for the fulfillment of certain conditions. Notice has been given that the Russian troops will not evacuate Peking until some arrangements have been made for the installation of a government to take charge of affairs. This is virtually the position assumed by all the powers in response to the original proposal of Russia, which fact seems to have modified the views of the Russian government on the question. Gen. Chaffee, it is now believed, will be required to stay in Peking until some semblance of a Chinese government capable of maintaining order has been established.

A Shanghai dispatch says there is strenuous objection in all the foreign colonies to the acceptance of Yung Lu as a peace negotiator.

Brig.-Gen. Wilcox has arrived at Peking under instructions to report to Maj.-Gen. Chaffee, commanding the American forces.

A Japanese officer reports from Korea that two Japanese and several hundred Chinese and Korean converts have been murdered on the frontier by the Chinese.

Stories of massacres of missionaries and native Christians are still coming from the interior of China. It is asserted that between 15,000 and 20,000 converts were massacred in the northern provinces during the month of July.

### SOLDIERS, NOT PILLAGERS.

It is extremely gratifying to learn, through reports from officers commanding our troops in China, that while there has been a great deal of "looting" by troops of other nations, the United States troops have taken little or no part in the disgraceful proceedings. It is greatly to the credit of our officers and men that they have so well withstood the temptation to do as others of the allied troops were doing—that is, to rob non-combatants without mercy whenever and wherever opportunity afforded. If the accounts of "looting" that come from China be not exaggerated, the troops of the allies have in some cases been guilty of acts of vandalism, pillage and cruelty which go far to discredit the boasted civilization of the occidental nations. The reports thus far received quite generally agree that the American troops have seldom or never participated in these acts of pillage and cruelty, and have destroyed no property excepting under military exigency.

American military history is singularly free from stains of this character. The American soldier is not a thief nor a vandal. There is nothing in the practice or the profession of arms which need be incompatible with good citizenship and moral uprightness. Men go to war for the sake of principles more or less vital, but not to gratify individual antagonisms. Wars are not waged against individuals, and individual non-combatants—if they be non-combatants in practice as well as in name—are entitled to protection in their personal and property rights, in war as in peace, so far as is consistent with the imperative exigencies of war. The true and chivalrous soldier destroys as little property as possible, and holds human life and liberty as sacred in war as in peace, except when the demands of actual conflict, or the requirements of strategical advantage, impel him to kill and to destroy.

To the honor of the American soldier be it said he has always (speaking in a general sense) been humane, kindly and generous toward his foes, so far as was compatible with the stern requirements of his profession. The war of the rebellion, the war with Spain, the war in the Philippines and the campaign in China have furnished proofs without number of the truth of this assertion. There have been individual exceptions, but they serve to prove the rule, rather than to disprove it.

### A STRIKE DECLARED.

"The United Mine Workers of America" have declared a strike in the anthracite coal regions. The strike will throw nearly 150,000 men into enforced idleness, and will cause no end of suffering and sorrow in the homes of the strikers and among those who are in no wise responsible for it. The history of this strike will probably be a repetition of the history of other struggles of its kind. At first there will be protestations, loud and frequent, that there is to be no resort to lawlessness on the part of the strikers. But they will not long refrain from lawlessness. So soon as they find that they are losing the fight, and that other men are taking the places which they have vacated, they will resort to violence, and probably to murder, in the hope of enforcing their demands by creating a reign of terror.

Two men only—President Mitchell and Secretary Wilson of the "United Mine Workers of America,"—have ordered this strike. The dispatches have drawn a vivid picture of these two men, huddling in their headquarters, nervous and trembling, opening and eagerly scanning telegrams in the hope that in some manner, from some source, might come information which would save themselves from the consequences of their own acts—enable them to evade the responsibility for this hazardous undertaking, by which so many thousands of wage-earners will be deprived of the means of livelihood. The fearful responsibility which these men have assumed is well calculated to make them nervous.

It is a most amazing state of affairs, indeed, when two men are vested with the power to throw out of employment, by a mere stroke of the pen, 142,000 wage-earners, and to disrupt the industries of whole sections and States.

And the most astonishing phase of this amazing situation is that the workers themselves—who are professedly jealous of their personal liberty and zealous in its vindication and realisation—should consent to place their necks under the yoke of a despotism so galling, so arbitrary, so absolute; to place their liberties, their manhood, the welfare of their families, and even their lives, in the keeping of two men, whose mere *ipse dixit* is sufficient to convert them from self-supporting citizens and mendicants.

According to the admissions of these two men who have ordered this gigantic strike, no provision has been made for the support of the strikers and their families. It is proposed to let that matter "take care of itself," in the hope or expectation that the great, generous American public will come to the rescue, as usual, and by charitable contributions save the strikers from actual starvation. This is only one more illustration of the spirit of recklessness which characterises the men who are responsible for the ordering of the strike.

"Organised labor," so called, may have its advantages, but it has also a fearful and terrible power for evil when wielded by the average walking delegate.

What is to be the outcome of this ill-advised and indefensible movement? No one can foretell, except in a general way. When once a reign of lawlessness has been inaugurated, there is no foretelling when and where it will end; but it will almost certainly end in the defeat of the strikers, after they have exhausted their resources and have brought their families and themselves to the verge of destitution by their voluntary idleness.

The occupation of coal mining is laborious and somewhat dangerous. The men who engage in this occupation ought to receive good wages. It is not the purpose of this article to enter upon a discussion of the merits of the present controversy, which are not very fully understood outside of the region immediately affected by the strike. The demands of the miners may be just, or they may not be just. But whether just or unjust, they are not likely to be enforced by the strike.

The strike is a two-edged sword. It cuts both ways, in some degree, but it cuts deeper into labor than into capital. It is not an effective weapon for the redress of wrongs, real or fancied. There is not much likelihood that it will be successful in the present case. Should it accomplish the end sought by the strikers, the result will be exceptional.

It is a noteworthy fact that this strike, as has happened before, is made to fit into a Presidential campaign. It may be set down as within the realm of absolute certainty that Mr. Bryan and his followers will seek to make political capital out of the strike. Not that it has anything to do with politics, or politics with it. Neither the President nor the Republican party is responsible for the strike, any more than are the King of Dahomey and his dusky tribes.

But this obvious fact will cut no ice. Our friends the Bryanites will strive mightily to place the blame upon the President and the party which supports him. Our amiable and generous opponents, under the leadership of Mr. Bryan, never fail to make an attempt to reap political advantage out of affairs of this kind. But they underestimate the intelligence of the American people when they imagine that any great number of them can be deceived by pleas so specious and silly.

### THIS TERRIBLE MILITARISM.

The Russian army and its cost are as follows:

Standing army in peace....1,000,000 men
In war .....2,125,000 men
Reserve .....6,950,000 men
Annual revenue .....$714,000,000
Annual appropriation for support of army ..... 155,000,000
Or 22 per cent. of her revenues.

The French figures are:

Standing army in peace.... 589,000 men
Reserves .....2,500,000 men
Annual revenues .....$680,000,000
Annual cost of support of army ..... 145,000,000
Or 22 per cent. of her revenues.

Germany's military record is:

Standing army in peace.... 585,000 men
Standing army in war.....2,320,000 men
Reserves .....4,300,000 men
Annual expenditure for the support of the army....$135,000,000.

The United States is now at war. Her regular army numbers about 60,000 men. There are perhaps as many volunteers who will very soon be mustered out. In war times the total expense of both army and navy for 1900 will be $190,743,980.61 out of total revenues amounting to $568,983,948.21.

The War and Navy departments' expenditures include all expenses incident to the war—the equipment of the army and navy, purchase and equipment of vessels, transportation of troops—everything chargeable to army, navy and marine corps.

They amount in time of war to one-third of the revenues.

For 1897, a time of peace, the total revenues were $347,721,705.16, and the totals paid for our "militarism" were $48,950,267.89 for the War Department, or 14 per cent. of the revenues; and $34,561,548.09, or 10 per cent. for the navy.

What a tempest sometimes rages in a teapot. Mr. Bryan is just a political teapot.

### "UNDER THE SHELTER OF OUR FLAG."

The President's course with reference to the Philippines needs no defense. But if it did, it could have no better defense than is found in the President's own words, contained in his annual message to Congress, in December last. The President's eloquent and sincere and manly words on this subject are worthy of reproduction at this time, when he is assailed by demagogues and reckless partisan critics, for doing his simple constitutional duty in a straightforward manner. In the message above referred to the President said:

"The future government of the Philippines rests with the Congress of the United States. Few grave responsibilities have ever been confided to us. If we accept them in a spirit worthy of our race and our traditions, a great opportunity comes with them. The islands lie under the shelter of our flag. They are ours by every title of law and equity. They cannot be abandoned. If we desert them we leave them at once to anarchy, and finally to barbarism. We fling them, a golden apple of discord, among the rival powers, no one of which could permit another to seize them unquestioned. Their rich plains and valleys would be the scene of endless strife and bloodshed. The advent of Dewey's fleet in Manila Bay instead of being, as we hope, the dawn of a new day of freedom and progress, will have been the beginning of an era of misery and violence, worse than any which has darkened their unhappy past. The suggestion has been made that we could renounce our authority over the islands, and, giving them independence, could retain a protectorate over them. This proposition will not be found, I am sure, worthy of our serious attention. Such an arrangement would involve at the outset a cruel breach of faith. It would place the peaceable and loyal majority, who ask nothing better than to accept our authority, at the mercy of the minority of armed insurgents. It would make us responsible for the acts of the insurgent leaders, and give us no power to control them.

"Until Congress shall have made known the formal expression of its will I shall use the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the statutes, to uphold the sovereignty of the United States in those distant islands as in all other places where our flag rightfully floats. I shall put at the disposal of the army and navy all the means which the liberality of Congress and the people have provided to cause this unprovoked and wasteful insurrection to cease. If any orders of mine were required to insure the merciful conduct of military and naval operations, they would not be lacking; but every step of the progress of our troops has been marked by a humanity which has surprised even the misguided insurgents. The truest kindness to them will be a swift and effective defeat of their present leader. The hour of victory will be the hour of clemency and reconstruction.

"No effort will be spared to build up the waste places desolated by war and by long years of misgovernment. We shall not wait for the end of strife to begin the beneficent work. We shall continue, as we have begun, to open the schools and the churches, to set the courts in operation, to foster industry and trade and agriculture, and in every way in our power to make these people whom Providence has brought within our jurisdiction feel that it is their liberty, and not our power, their welfare and not our gain, we are seeking to enhance. Our flag has never waved over any community but in blessing. I believe the Filipinos will soon recognize the fact that it has not lost its gift of benediction in its world-wide journey to their shores."

No President and no American ever uttered truer, nobler, or more patriotic words than these. And they are not mere words. They are fraught with the deepest meaning. The President has evidently weighed every word of his utterances on this important question. Every word was meant, in the fullest and truest sense, and the President has steadily aimed to carry out the purposes and to realize the ideals set forth in his message.

No person who is fair-minded and intelligent can read these patriotic words of the President, and at the same time place credence in the silly charges of usurpation, despotism, and imperialism, which his enemies have seen fit to bring against him, for purely (or impurely) political purposes. The "paramount issue" of the Bryan campaign is shown by the President's utterances to be composed entirely of falsehood and fustian.

The naming of "anti-imperialism" in the Kansas City platform as the paramount issue has made it necessary for Bryan to stop talking and do a good deal of hard thinking every once in a while in order to find something plausible to say. Reconciling the anti-expansion plank with his efforts to secure the ratification of the peace treaty is no easy job even for Bryan's powerful spellbinder.

Although the anti-imperialist propaganda made frantic efforts to reduce the Republican majorities in Vermont and Maine, the results of their efforts are not apparent to any great extent in the election returns. And both of these loyal Republican States will roll up the usual heavy majority for the Republican Presidential ticket in November.

There has never been a national campaign year within the history of American politics when business was so little disturbed by the political fight as it is this year. The conclusion is obvious. Business men, and the public generally, are convinced that there is to be no change of administration as the result of the election.

It begins to look, after all, as though Oom Paul would not be able to hold out until after our Presidential election. But it will not make any very great difference. Mr. Bryan will never be in a position to extend official aid and comfort to the Boer oligarchy or to the Filipino insurgents.

Members of the Democratic National Committee are again enjoying themselves by figuring out big majorities in Illinois, Michigan, Indiana and other States too numerous to mention, just as they did four years ago. And they are wise, for they must enjoy themselves before election or not at all.

Detroit and Milwaukee are running a close race in the census. In 1890 Detroit had a population of 205,876 and Milwaukee 204,486. The present census gives Detroit 285,704, and Milwaukee 285,315, a difference in favor of Detroit of 1390 ten years ago, and 389 this year.

Hon. A. D. Gilkenson, late judge of the Appellate Court of Northern Indiana, is now a judge of political policies, which he has proved in a decision to the effect that William J. Bryan is not entitled to the votes of the people. Judge Gilkenson has always been a Democrat.

The reports of the shocking cruelty of Russians are confirmed in the announcement that the officers of the Russo-Chinese Bank took 5,000,000 Chinamen's taels with them when they left Peking!

The more one reads President McKinley's letter of acceptance the more sound wisdom and incontrovertible logic he finds in it. It is a masterly, comprehensive, convincing document.

Germany is seeking to borrow a little matter of $25,000,000 in the United States. We've got the money to accommodate her, and more if she wants it.

Webster Davis is mysteriously silent of late. Perhaps he is up in the attic practicing on the pronunciation of the name of William Jennings Bryan.

An adding machine such as the Democrats use before election would give the United States a population of 200,000,000 at the lowest estimate.

It is one thing for Boss Croker to nominate a candidate for Governor of New York, but quite another thing for him to elect said candidate.

The Republican plurality in Maine is over 33,000. This will do for the State election. It will be larger at the general election in November.

Other cities are not quite satisfied, but Omaha is the only one thus far where the report of the census takes really stingeth like a subtracter.

Mrs. Pompadour Corbett and Mrs. Kid McCoy have discovered that the prize ring isn't the best place to look for good husbands.

When Bryan donned the overalls and boots of a farmer he sacrificed his chance of getting the vote of the shirt-waist man.

### PENSIONS GRANTED.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Pensions were granted to Californians today as follows: Original, Joseph I. Kidd, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles, $6; Francis Quarles, Jr., Pasadena, $6. An original pension was granted today to Henry D. Underwood of Tucson, Ariz.

# THE CAMPAIGN.

## *Remember '92—All or None—Business Men on the Issues—Hearst for Expansion—Jones the Right Man.*

[COLLECTED, COMPILED AND ARRANGED BY THE TIMES.]

### COUNTING DEMOCRATIC CHICKENS.

PASADENA (Cal.,) Sept. 10, 1900.—[To the Editor of The Times:] As a forecast from the national Democratic headquarters may be expected ere long, the following from said headquarters, under date of September 17, 1896, may be of interest:

Based on the present outlook, the following estimate of Bryan's majorities in November is made:

| | For | McKinley. |
|---|---|---|
| California, | 50,000 | 2,797 |
| Delaware, | 10,000 | 3,380 |
| Illinois, | 45,000 | 142,000 |
| Indiana, | 50,000 | 15,900 |
| Iowa, | 30,000 | 65,830 |
| Kentucky, | 35,000 | 281 |
| Maryland, | 15,000 | 32,000 |
| Michigan, | 30,000 | 50,000 |
| Minnesota, | 35,000 | 53,000 |
| Ohio, | 25,000 | 47,000 |
| Oregon, | 10,000 | 2,000 |
| S. Dakota, | 10,000 | (For Bryan) 183 |
| West Virginia, | 10,000 | 11,000 |
| Wisconsin, | 30,000 | 102,000 |

Very respectfully,

J. M. CARTER.

Since the above was written, they have been forecasting on the vote in Vermont, and will again on that of Maine. They claim nearly all in sight in Vermont, and will claim more in Maine. They will get less than in 1896.

### REMEMBER YOUR DUTY.

REMEMBER '92. During the campaign of '92 you thought you were too busy to take an active interest in politics. Remember the result:

Consternation.
Loss of confidence.
Empty pocketbooks.
Vicious tariff laws.
Emergency bond issues.
Losses in business.
Assignments.
No employment.
Distress.

Do not make the same mistake this year.—[Marion (Ark.,) Herald.

Do your duty by yourself and your countrymen. There are but few days more to register. Get your name on the lists at once. On election day be sure to vote.

### DEMOPOPULISM MUST ALL HANG TOGETHER.

SENATOR FORAKER, in opening the campaign at Youngstown, O., September 6, truly said:

"Money, tariff, trust and so-called imperialism are, each and all, important subjects, but no one of them can be segregated from the other and voted upon by itself. In other words, the Democratic party cannot be restored to power, as to one proposition and be excluded from power as to others. It must go in 'horse, foot and dragoons,' or not at all.

"You cannot adopt its views as to the Philippines without at the same time accepting free silver. You cannot agree with it about trusts, and differ as to 'government by injunction.' The proposition that 'the Constitution follows the flag,' is coupled with free trade, and their lamentations about the Declaration of Independence and the consent of the brown men who are to be governed in the far distant isles of the sea, are coupled with a defiant nullification of the Constitution, and a brutal denial by violence, rapine, blood and murder of the sacred rights of the negro citizens of the nation, who have periled their lives for the flag, and with gallant heroism won honor and renown for the republic on the battlefields of the nation."

### THIS MAN SEES CLEARLY.

OUR business has been more prosperous in the last three years than the entire previous history of the company. This is true not only of Chicago, but elsewhere. It is chiefly due to two causes. Not only has the telephone established itself as a necessity to business and private interests, but it is also owing to the pronounced prosperity which has been general throughout the country. As I said, the growth of the Chicago company in these years has been equal to the entire growth before that time. If this general prosperity which the country at large is enjoying should be checked or should cease, it would undoubtedly affect the growth of our business. Personally, I believe that any material change in the present policy of government would affect all lines of business most disastrously. Ours would suffer with the rest.—[John M. Clark, president Chicago Telephone Company.

### VOTE FOR YOURSELF AND YOUR FAMILY.

THE whole situation can be expressed in a sentence. The country is enjoying a most wonderful period of prosperity. The country at large, the individual corporations and the people themselves have been successful to a degree under the present administration, and the Republican party deserves universal support, and what is more to the point, I believe will have it. The country is greater than any man or any party, and with wise men at the helm, as there have been during the last four years, to direct this country of ours, conditions will continue to improve and we shall reap the benefit.—[C. F. Hutchinson of the Commercial Exchange Bank of Chicago.

### HEARST FOR EXPANSION.

BRYAN'S Chicago paper, the American, owned by W. R. Hearst of New York, San Francisco, Chicago, Denver and prospectively of Indianapolis, in commenting on the growth of San Francisco, said:

"The manufacturerers and the producers of the United States reaching out for new markets to the westward will send their products into San Francisco for trans-shipment to the great steamers lying in her spacious harbor. The people of the East, of China, India, the Philippines and Hawaii, will all turn to this great port to make their purchases and to transact their foreign business.

"The rush for gold is no less great today than it was then, but men find gold in new ways now. The great captains of industry no longer delve it out of the earth, but win it in the less rugged but quite as profitable line of trade and commerce.

"There is a fascination today to the man who sends his ships bearing his goods to the for-off islands of the distant East, the islands of which the poets love to sing, but toward which only within the last decade has the face of the American merchant been turned.

"The golden age of San Francisco's romance is not yet passed. Once she had the miner who conquered nature. She soon will have the international merchant who conquers the seas and the prejudices of people now unknown and hostile.

"What New York has been, facing a civilized Europe, that will the City of the Golden Gate be as Asia gradually becomes civilized, and the Pacific, like the Atlantic, becomes a highway of trade between nations rivaling each other only in the struggle for trade and all that makes for the highest type of national development."

Every one but a fool sees that this Coast has everything to gain and nothing to lose by the Republican programme; everything to lose and nothing to gain from Bryanism.

### "MEDDLESOME MATTIES."

WE ARE all familiar with the small boy who tore up his new watch in his curiosity to "see the wheels go 'round;" also the other small boy who ripped his drum apart in order to ascertain what made the noise. These things were to be treated with indulgence, for all of us were boys once, (excuse us, girls,) and it is well known that a boy is two-thirds monkey and the other third magpie—in disposition, at least. But when a candidate for the Presidency of the United States shows the same destructive propensity and represents a party which seems to have such a hankering to tear things up as an experiment, the thing begins to take on a serious aspect.

Dr. George L. Miller, a prominent Democratic leader in Nebraska, expresses this thought most admirably when he says: "The primary objection to Mr. Bryan is his continuous assault upon the established institutions of our country." Is it not so? First it was "16 to 1," a vicious attack upon our world-respected money system. Then it was "anti-expansion," but they probably reflected that the United States has been expanding continuously ever since it was born—and that the biggest fool in the whole nation could not be deluded by such transparent sophistry; so they shifted to "imperialism." It sounded well. It was a somewhat larger pumpkin; and they reasoned that after they had fixed it up properly it would be a most satisfactory jack-o'-lantern. But it was really the most vicious of the whole deplorable collection, for it was a direct blow toward the overthrow of the delicate fabric which our national government had for so long and with the loss of many precious American lives been trying to erect. This is not legitimate campaigning. It is vicious. It is dangerous. It is un-American, for the true American stands by his government, no matter whether it be controlled by one party or the other. The head of the nation was placed there by the majority of the people of the United States. The minority, abiding by the Constitution of our nation, sanctioned the election, and as Americans were bound to uphold the actions of the government to the furthering of American honor and the nation's reputation for loyalty. What, then, of the man who, for political purposes, strives to drag down to the clay after it has once been placed on the firing line by his government? Is he fit to represent the United States of America? Can we hope for better recognition among the nations?

That the great mass of Democrats do not accept the arguments of the Apostle of Woe is evidenced by the way they got from under the shadow of his flag in '96. So it is really against the Bryanites that we are fighting and not against the Democratic party of the time of Jefferson—or even Cleveland. It is a pernicious element which has insidiously wound itself about the Democratic party and threatens to crush out its life.

All good Americans will be thinking of their country's welfare—this year more than any other. And with the intelligence which has become so universal, they will be able to judge calmly and for the right. And they will sit down upon the party which has always shown itself to be a second edition of "Meddlesome Mattie," who never could keep from peeping, until she opened her uncle's snuff box and promptly sneezed her head off.

### OUR OBLIGATIONS.

"A CORRESPONDENT of the New York Evening Post points out to the editor of that paper that our title to the Philippines is complete, and that we are under a twofold obligation to restore and maintain order there. Having destroyed the sovereignty of Spain and taken over the government of the islands, we are responsible, first, to foreign powers for the protection of foreign interests, and, second, to our own sense of dignity and honor for the protection of the people themselves against anarchy. Furthermore, the President's duties in the premises, both legally and morally, are such that he could not withdraw our troops. To this end the concurrent action of Congress would be necessary."

The above is from the Chicago Times-Herald, which goes on to give Editor Godkin's attempt to answer his correspondent. He proposed a protectorate and suggests that an insurance company might be found to guarantee peace in the islands. Well may the Chicago paper say in conclusion:

"The sovereign responsibility under the treaty remains and the constitutional duties and limitations of the President are not changed a particle. He must establish order, and he may not abandon the islands without the concurrent action of Congress. For the rest we are not in the insurance business and 'bogey' is no argument. The editorial is miserably weak on the practical side, and that is commonly the case with all that the 'anti-imperialists' have to say on the subject.

"Suppose we admit the worst, that the Philippines are a burden, that we do not want them, that it is pitiable that so many Americans and natives should suffer death by the insurrection. Surely our obligations are none the less clear, and the most careless reader on oriental affairs should know that the chances are a hundred to one against a government by Malays. If they did not run amuck their self-control would be unique in the history of the race. The fact is that if Mr. Bryan were President today he would have to do exactly as Mr. McKinley is doing or prove recreant to a treaty and the laws of his country."

### WHISTLING BY THE GRAVEYARD.

THE Bryanites feel obliged to appear to be hopeful about something, and so they say they are hopeful about carrying New York, New Jersey, Indiana and Connecticut this year. The kind of job they have before them is indicated by the Republican pluralities in those States four years ago, when the Bryanites were also hopeful. These pluralities were: In New York, 268,469; in New Jersey, 87,322; in Indiana, 16,161; in Connecticut, 53,545.

To talk hopefully about overcoming those pluralities this year is like whistling while walking through a graveyard.—[New Haven (Ct.,) Courier.

### MR. BRYAN'S FLASH OF

"ASK me no questions and I'll tell you no lies."

Mr. Bryan refuses to discuss the points raised by Secretary Gage in an interview given to the press this week. It is his right, of course, to excuse all matters of interest to him at this time and way, but his refusal to discuss this time and about so important a problem as that suggested by Secretary Gage is very suggestive. Suggestive of one thing, of the great difference between the Bryan of four years ago and the Bryan of this year. Then, Bryan propounded questions to Mr. McKinley about what the treasury would do in respecting payments in silver, and what in the event of his election, and in the event of his failure to do so, and their prompt and direct would be forthcoming. He would compel the gold of the opportunity to show itself in all forms and to the most extent to silver. But Bryan kisses off enterprising newspaper correspondents with the assurance that he "will come to that later."—[Washington Evening Star.

### PARAMOUNT PROSPERITY.

I BELONG to neither party in local and national elections. My independent judgment dictates that prosperity is paramount. Four years ago the times were very hard. Farmers burned their corn for fuel. It was that Mr. Bryan wanted free silver as the only remedy for the apparently hopeless condition. The country did not take his remedy, but got well. What is the use of Mr. Bryan's remedy now that the need of a remedy as he thought it existed in Kinley will be realized? The prosperity of the A very large percentage of citizens will pay no attention to silver, imperialism or anything else than our great prosperity.—[Smith, Humphrey, Neb.

### JIM JONES THE RIGHT

JAMES K. JONES, of Arkansas, is the Bryan campaign. He is the right man in the He is the greatest calamity follow Bryan. His environment count for it in part. The capital of his State is $4,96 of New York is $396.15; of $371.62; and of California, Kansas is at the bottom of all the States. Moreover, makes no progress. This few days ago showed how live stock had increased parts of the country in four Kansas is an exception, as shows:

| | Jan. 1, 1900. | Jan. 1, 1899. |
|---|---|---|
| Horses ..... | $ 7,718,00 | |
| Mules ..... | 4,313,00 | |
| Milch cows ..... | 3,507,00 | |
| Other cattle ..... | 4,500,00 | |
| Sheep ..... | 341,00 | |
| Total ..... | ...$22,471,00 | |

Here is an actually retrogressive ment in this State by $1,8 are not in the list. The cor son at hand is 1892 and 18 four years the decrease in swine in Mr. Jones's State $3,693,967 to $3,196,882, or half a million dollars.

These figures grow in compared with similar a State as Ohio. In the State the value of milch cows ary 1, 1896, was $18,430,227, ary 1, 1900, their value had to $25,234,230, and their number 759,597 to 780,939. The value January 1, 1896, numbered ued at $5,247,533. On Ohio had 2,329,690 sheep, 535,250.

No wonder Arkansas is Bryanite. Most distinguished of Arkansas is the chief calamity howlers. He is the right in the right place.

### BY THEIR FRUITS YE KNOW THEM.

HE [BRYAN] has resumed talking patronizingly to Illinois, asking them to vote on this issue. Let their answer if destruction of self-government evil carrying many futures in its train, the men who and supported Bryan have destroyed it at home, if not the truth. That which Republicans of intending his own party has already home. His charge against cause has no proof but its The same offense by his proved by its accomplishment it requires a check on to scold Republican leaders votes of their followers issue.

One of his leading supporters, Tillman, said in the and prepared speech, southern methods of government to the negro them. We used fraud and tissue ballots. At tired of these we amended constitution and eliminated votes."

If Colonel Bryan wishes right to a reputation for to Tillman's methods go to Tillman's coin in full and large of self-government for the as well as for the Filippines. It is safe to say not do this. He prefers the deception of the

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The Times

### THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Sept. 13.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.92; at 5 p.m., 29.90. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 69 and 84 deg. Relative humidity, 5 p.m., 13 per cent.; 5 p.m., 75 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., west, velocity 10 miles, clear. Maximum temperature, 85 deg.; minimum, 63 deg. Rainfall during the past twenty-four hours and since July 1, 1900, not reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—There has been a marked change in pressure in the last twenty-four hours west of the Missouri River. It has risen rapidly and a very low area, for the season, extends along the upper slopes; cloudy weather prevails from Puget Sound to the Mexican line, with rain from southern Oregon to Central California and Western Nevada.

A thunderstorm occurred this morning at Los Angeles this morning after the observation, particularly over the mountains.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather tonight and Friday, probably with showers tonight; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—Weather conditions. The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date as compared with those of dates given, for seasons and rainfalls in last twenty-four hours:

| Stations. | Last 24 hours. | This season. | Last season. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fresno, | .02 | .12 | 1.31 |
| Red Bluff, | .04 | .12 | .32 |
| Sacramento, | .00 | .06 | .32 |
| San Francisco, | .00 | .16 | Trace |
| San Luis Obispo, | .00 | .24 | .00 |
| Los Angeles, | .00 | .79 | .00 |
| San Diego, | .00 | Trace | .00 |
| Yuma, | .00 | Trace | Trace |
| Los Angeles, | .00 | None | .07 |

The pressure has risen rapidly over Northern California, Nevada and Oregon and has fallen rapidly over the Rocky Mountain region.

The storm over California has moved northeastward and is now over Montana.

Light temperatures has fallen over the interior west of the Rocky Mountains. Over Oregon and Northern Nevada there has been a fall of 20 degrees in the past twenty hours. In California the temperatures are from 10 to 17 degrees below normal.

Rain has fallen generally on the coast from San Francisco northward.

Frost made at San Francisco for thirty minutes at midnight, Sept. 12.

Forecasts: California: Fair, warmer Friday; southerly winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Friday; warmer Saturday; southerly winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair warmer Friday, light southwest winds.

Temperature at Coronado Beach yesterday: 5 a.m., 70 deg.

The Times' Weather Record.—Observations made at 5 p.m. and reduced, daily:

| | Sept. 12. | Sept. 13. |
|---|---|---|
| Barometer ..... | 29.92 | 29.90 |
| Thermometer ..... | 72 | 72 |
| Humidity ..... | 66 | 75 |
| Weather ..... | Clear | Clear |
| Maximum temperature, past 24 hours ..... | | 77 |
| Minimum temperature, past 24 hours ..... | | 57 |
| Rainfall ..... | | |

Tide Table.—For San Pedro:

| | High. | Low. |
|---|---|---|
| Thursday, " 13..... | 12:39 a.m. 6.6 ft. | 6:56 a.m. 0.2 ft. |
| | 1:04 p.m. 6.6 ft. | 7:16 p.m. 0.2 ft. |
| Friday, " 14..... | 1:34 a.m. 6.6 ft. | 7:56 a.m. 0.2 ft. |
| | 2:03 p.m. 6.6 ft. | 8:16 p.m. 0.2 ft. |
| Saturday, " 15..... | 2:31 a.m. 6.6 ft. | 8:56 a.m. 0.2 ft. |
| | 3:00 p.m. 6.6 ft. | 9:16 p.m. 0.2 ft. |
| Sunday, " 16..... | 3:30 a.m. 6.6 ft. | 9:56 a.m. 0.2 ft. |
| | 3:58 p.m. 6.6 ft. | 10:16 p.m. 0.2 ft. |
| Monday, " 17..... | 4:29 a.m. 6.6 ft. | 10:56 a.m. 0.2 ft. |
| | 4:56 p.m. 6.6 ft. | |

### ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Spanish is to be introduced into the San José High School.

The Presbytery of Oakland has declared in favor of a revision of the present confession of faith.

Miss Edith L. Hamilton, a Fresno stenographer, has just patented an invention of her own, a small tray to be attached to typewriters for holding pencils, brushes, erasers, etc.

Arthur Carleton, a ten-year-old Tulare boy, stuck his big toe between the spokes and sprocket of a bicycle, and had the toe so badly torn that amputation will probably be necessary.

Oakland has a twelve-year-old boy, Edward Jacobs, who has been devouring cigar and cigarette stumps for some months until the desire for other food was lost, and his whole system was saturated with nicotine. The doctors think that he will die.

The Stockton Board of Health has issued a circular announcing that Fruit Inspector Young is commencing work and in conjunction with the health officers is destroying or ordering destroyed fruit or fruit boxes that may prove detrimental to the public health.

The kindergartens of Oakland have been united into a single federation under the name of "The Associated Kindergartens of Oakland." The chief object is the formation of a system of kindergarten work which will be merged into the public school system of the city.

Members of the Fresno Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association are already at work, planning for the show in December. It is expected that the exhibits will be much finer than last year, as the number of people in the county who keep high-class poultry has been greatly increased recently.

The Oakland Board of Health is now considering the advisability of stamping tuberculosis as a contagious disease, and enforcing quarantine of cases. Dr. J. H. Todd recommends this measure in his annual report as Health Officer, which has just been submitted to the City Council.

According to the Stockton Mail, the statement was made in that city, on Wednesday, by one of the section bosses of the Santa Fé, that the company was discharging all its Americans employés in the section gangs and substituting Mexicans at $1.35 a day. The wages paid to the others were $1.65.

Mrs. O'Connor of San José, who offered to give her art collection to the city in case $20,000 were raised for the construction of a building for its reception, has now donated the collection to the Catholic University at Washington, as the people of San José failed to respond. She had waited two years for the collection of the $20,000.

The Alturas (Modoc county,) Plaindealer tells of a big development undertaking in that part of the State, as follows: "The work of surveying the reservoir at the head of Rattlesnake Creek began last week. Meantime work on the dam will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible. When completed the reservoir will contain several thousand acres to an average depth of sixteen feet of water. The dam will be less than 200 feet in length, and will be raised twenty feet at the highest point. It will reclaim thousands of acres of land that are now practically valueless."

### AMERICANS IMPROVE.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Americans made a much better showing at Vincennes today in the bicycle finals for the exposition grand prize than on the previous visit. Cooper gaining second place in the professional, and Lake third in the amateur. Tallander and Hanz, Frenchmen, secured first and second places in the amateur contest where

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Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather today and Friday, probably with showers tonight; fresh southerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—Weather conditions and rainfalls in last twenty-four hours:

| | Last 24 hours. | This season. | Last season. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Eureka | .32 | .32 | 2.16 |
| Red Bluff | .16 | .16 | .16 |
| Sacramento | .08 | .08 | .08 |
| San Francisco | .10 | .61 | trace |
| San Jose | .00 | .34 | .00 |
| Fresno | .00 | .70 | .07 |
| Independence | .00 | trace | .00 |
| Los Angeles | .00 | trace | trace |
| San Diego | .00 | trace | .07 |

The storm has risen rapidly over Northern California, Nevada and Oregon and has fallen slightly over the Rocky Mountain region.

The storm over California has moved northeastward and is now over Montana.

The temperature has fallen over the summit of the Rocky Mountains. Over Oregon and Northern Nevada there has been a rise of 10 degrees. In the great valleys of California the temperatures are from 10 to 17 degrees above normal.

Rains have fallen generally on the coast from Southern Oregon northward.

Maximum wind reported at San Francisco for thirty hours ending at midnight, Sept. 12:

Eureka, California: Fair, warmer Friday; fresh southerly winds.

Red Bluff, California: Fair Friday; fresh southerly winds.

Sacramento, California: Fair Friday; fresh southerly winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Friday; fresh southerly winds.

Fresno and vicinity: Fair warmer Friday; light southerly winds.

Independence and vicinity: Fair warmer Friday; light southerly winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair warmer Friday; light southerly winds.

Point Loma reports at Coronado Beach yesterday at 5 p.m.: Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 72; dew point, 58; humidity, 57; wind, southwest, 6 miles; weather, clear.

Maximum temperature, past 24 hours, 77.

Minimum temperature, past 24 hours, 58.

Rainfall, past 24 hours, 0.

Tides.—Time Table for San Pedro:

| | High. | Low. |
|---|---|---|
| Thursday, " 13 | 11:30 a.m. | 5:02 a.m.<br>6:02 p.m. |
| Friday, " 14 | 1:24 a.m.<br>2:00 p.m. | 6:06 a.m.<br>6:52 p.m. |
| Saturday, " 15 | 2:25 a.m.<br>2:58 p.m. | 7:02 a.m.<br>7:38 p.m. |
| Sunday, " 16 | 3:24 a.m.<br>3:54 p.m. | 7:54 a.m.<br>8:23 p.m. |
| Monday, " 17 | 4:20 a.m.<br>4:50 p.m. | 8:39 a.m.<br>9:08 p.m. |
| Tuesday, " 18 | 5:20 p.m. | 11:13 p.m. |
| Wednesday, " 19 | 6:21 a.m.<br>6:53 p.m. | 12:29 a.m. |

Time Ball.—Record—Observations taken at 1 p.m. and midnight, daily:

| | 1 p.m. | Midnight. |
|---|---|---|
| September 10 | 72.62 | 72.60 |
| September 11 | 72.62 | 72.61 |
| September 12 | 72 | 72 |
| September 13 | 68 | 72 |
| Weather | Clear | Clear |

Pacific Coast Weather Record.—Observations taken at 1 p.m. and midnight, daily:

| | 1 p.m. | Midnight. |
|---|---|---|
| September 10 | 76 | 77 |
| September 11 | 76 | 76 |
| September 12 | 76 | 76 |
| September 13 | 76 | 76 |
| Weather | Clear | Clear |

Receipts of Wheat.

| | Jan. 1, 1900. | Jan. 1, 1899. |
|---|---|---|
| Tons of wheat | 7,719,945 | 6,313,361 |
| Centals of wheat | 2,807,236 | 2,295,040 |
| Centals of barley | 4,268,694 | 1,844,032 |
| Centals of flour | 244,062 | 277,000 |

Total ..... $22,472,345 $17,849,433

Value of wheat, barley and flour ..... $7,719,945 $6,313,361

Value of cows ..... 2,807,236 2,295,040

Value of cattle ..... 4,268,694 1,844,032

Total ..... $14,795,875 $10,452,433

### ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Spanish is to be introduced into the Pasadena High School.

The Presbytery of Oakland has declared in favor of a revision of the Confession of faith.

Miss Edith L. Hamilton, a Fresno stenographer, has just patented an invention of her own, a small tray to be attached to typewriters for holding erasers, brushes, erasers, etc.

Arthur Carleton, a ten-year-old Tulare boy, stuck his big toe between the chain and sprocket of a bicycle, and the toe so badly torn that amputation will probably be necessary.

Oakland has a twelve-year-old boy, Edward Jacobs, who has been devouring cigar and cigarette stumps for some months until the desire for other food was lost, and his whole system was saturated with nicotine. The doctors say that he will die.

The Stockton Board of Health has issued a circular announcing that Fruit Inspector Young is commissioned to act in conjunction with the health officer in ordering or ordering destroyed fruit trees or fruit bushes that may prove detrimental to the public health.

The kindergartens of Oakland have been united into a single federation under the name of "The Associated Kindergartens of Oakland." The chief object is the formation of a system of kindergarten work which will be introduced into the public school system of the city.

Members of the Fresno Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association are now at work, planning for the show in November. It is expected that the show will be much finer than last year, as the number of people in the county who keep high-class poultry has greatly increased recently.

The Oakland Board of Health is seriously considering the adoption of means of stamping tuberculosis as a contagious disease, and enforcing quarantine in such cases. Dr. J. H. Todd recommends this measure in his annual report as Health Officer, which has just been submitted to the City Council.

Owing to the Stockton Mail, the contract was made in that city, on Saturday, by one of the section foremen of the Santa Fé, that the company was discharging all its American employés in the section gangs and substituting Mexicans at $1.25 a day. The pay paid to the others were $1.65.

Mrs. O'Connor of San José, who offered to give her art collection to the city in case $20,000 were raised for the erection of a building for its reception, has now donated the collection to the Catholic University at Washington. The people of San José failed to raise the money. She had waited two years for the collection of the $20,000.

The Alturas (Modoc county,) Plaindealer tells of a big development under way in that part of the State, as follows: "The work of surveying the railroad at the head of Rattlesnake Creek began last week. Meantime work on the dam will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible. When completed the reservoir will contain several thousand acres to an average depth of sixteen feet of water. The dam will be less than 200 feet in length, and will be raised twenty feet at the highest point. It will reclaim thousands of acres of land that are now practically worthless."

### AMERICANS IMPROVE.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Americans made a much better showing at Vincennes today in the bicycle finals for the exposition grand prize than on the previous visit, Cooper gaining second place in the professional, and Lake third in the amateur. Tallander and Sanz, Frenchmen, secured first and second places in the amateur contest where the prizes were works of art worth respectively 1,000, 600 and 300. The distance in this race was 2000 meters and the time 3:52.

The professional race was interesting, as it resulted in the defeat of the French crack, Jacquelin, by the Dutch champion, Myers, and Cooper, the Frenchman having to be contented with third place. The distance in this race was 2000 meters. The time was 3:19 2-5. The first prize was 15,000; the second 7,500, and the third 2,500.

[REAL ESTATE RECORD.]

## HOUSE AND LOT.

*Continued Good Demand for Oil Lands.*

*Hill and Main Streets for Investment.*

*Echo Park Improvements—A Number of Residences Contracted For.*

The occurrence of two consecutive holidays, even though those holidays were not so generally observed as they might have been, has interfered considerably with real estate business during the past week, and transactions have consequently been lighter than usual.

OIL LANDS.

The demand for oil lands in proved territory still continues active, and good prices are being paid for promising property. In cases where leases are made, the owners have sometimes succeeded in getting exceptionally favorable terms for their land. Thus, in some parts of the Kern River district it is reported that as much as 87½ per cent. royalty has been offered for the leasing of oil lands. On the other hand, where the finding of oil is more or less questionable, land owners are sometimes glad to accept as little as one-tenth royalty, although the usual percentage paid is about one-eighth.

HILL STREET.

In city property there has been a continued inquiry for frontage on South Hill street, between Third and Sixth, but there is little property offered there, as the owners recognize the fact that it is bound to increase rapidly in value from now on, as business property. Considering the short distance which they are apart, and the certainty that business will overflow before long, property on Hill is today much cheaper than in the same block on Broadway.

SOUTH MAIN STREET.

Meantime, while property for business purposes is thus sought for on Hill street, frontage on South Main street, below the junction of Spring, continues to be offered at what are apparently ridiculously low prices. The Times has frequently called attention in this department to the possibilities which lie—or did lie—before the owners of property on this street, provided they would show a little energy and enterprise. Even with this lacking, however, it looks as if the prices at which one may now pick up frontage on South Main street, cannot fall within a few years to return gorgeous profits to the purchasers.

ECHO PARK.

Citizens of the Second Ward, especially those who live out toward Echo Park, are much disgusted at what appears to be the determination of the City Council not to grant the franchise that has been asked by the Traction Company for an electric line to the park. They say, however, that they will by no means give up the fight, and promise to make it interesting for some of the city fathers, who, they say, are not justified in the course which they are pursuing. These citizens declare that the talk about waiting for the Legislature to modify the present franchise law is merely a subterfuge, because whenever an attempt is made to enact such a law the Southern Pacific workers get together and defeat it.

Meantime Lakeshore boulevard, which runs along the west side of Echo Park up to Sunset boulevard, is approaching completion. It will make a fine driveway, with cement sidewalks.

THE RIVER SECTION.

The improvements that are to be made by the Terminal Railroad Company or its successor, the Los Angeles and Salt Lake line, have led to an active inquiry for property near the Terminal depot, and south of that point along the river. It is announced that the Terminal company will at once proceed to construct a solid stone levee along the river banks, south of First street, in place of the present flimsy wooden piling.

BUILDING NOTES.

The following permits of $2000 and over were issued by the City Superintendent of Buildings:

E. M. Morrison, two-story eight-room frame residence, west side Avenue 52, between Downey and Pasadena avenues, $2500.

R. L. Crowder, two two-story frame residences, west side of Pico street, between Albany and Rich streets, $3600.

Fred Espee, one and a half story eight-room frame dwelling, at southwest corner of Main street and Vernon avenue, $2300.

W. A. Bingham, one-story and a half frame residence, north side of West Twentieth street, between Union avenue and Bush streets, $2600.

J. M. Kellerman, three-story brick addition to rear of building at Nos. 219, 221 and 223 West Third street, $5500.

Mrs. F. M. Worthington, two-story eight-room frame residence, east side Westlake avenue, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, $3200.

E. T. Stimson, frame stable and carriage house at northeast corner Adams and Scarff streets, $4000.

DAIRYMEN ADJOURN.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 13.—The closing session of the State Dairy Convention was held in the Senate chamber this afternoon. The principal discussion this morning was on the subject of variations in milk testing. The plan was advocated by the representatives of the State university of having the farmers test their own milk and keep an account with each cow. This afternoon silos were discussed.

The Board of Directors for the ensuing year was elected and includes George C. Barber of Grizzly Bluff, C. H. Sessions of Los Angeles, T. H. Harvey of Galt, A. P. Martin of Petaluma, Mrs M. G. Sherman of Fresno, William Johnston of Courtland, Peter J. Shields of Sacramento, W. H. Lebaron of Valley Ford, W. H. Rousselli of San Francisco, N. N. Locke of Lokeford and John Judson of San Pasqual.

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# THE PUBLIC SERVICE—IN THE OFFICES AND COURTS.

## SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Board of Police Commissioners is not altogether satisfied with the manner in which some of the saloonkeepers have pretended to comply with the order for the removal of private rooms, and a special meeting of the Board has been called for today to consider such cases.

A resolution has been drafted for presentation before the Board of Police Commissioners which will make the presence of lewd women in any saloon a cause for revocation of license. Such a regulation is in force in more than one large city in the East.

Dist.-Atty. Rives explains that, instead of three Superior judges, there are four to be elected at the coming election. One will have opportunity to serve a little less than two months.

Scott McKeown has been sued in the Township Court for $182, alleged to be due for fancy foot-gear.

The legality of the Rialto Irrigation District bonds is still to be determined. The Supreme Court has remanded the suit involving the point to San Bernardino county for trial.

John H. Coxe, a local real estate insurance agent, was arrested on a charge of embezzlement yesterday, on complaint of Percy Richardson.

Embezzlement charges against W. B. Atwood were dismissed yesterday in Justice Austin's court on motion of the District Attorney. Atwood's friends have settled his shortage. Mrs. Thorpe, of unsavory fame, was sentenced for vagrancy by Justice Morgan.

[AT THE CITY HALL.]

## NOT THROUGH THEIR WORK.

*Police Commissioners Still Investigating Saloons—Women May Be Excluded.*

The members of the Board of Police Commissioners say they are not through with the saloon keepers, and that there is much in the removal of private boxes which they yet have to investigate. For the purpose of taking some action, the exact nature of which they will not disclose at present, the board will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock. A special meeting was to have been held yesterday afternoon, but owing to the illness of Commissioner Ling it was postponed until today.

"More than 90 per cent. of the private rooms have been removed from the saloons," said Mr. Ling yesterday, "but the board wants the other 10 per cent. out, and proposes to have them removed. We will make a clean sweep, for we do not think it is fair that one saloon shall be permitted to have boxes while another is compelled to remove them."

Asked what places he referred to as not having complied with the orders of the board, Mr. Ling said that he was not ready to make any announcement as yet.

The commissioners have found several cases where an effort has been made to evade their order by changing the arrangement of the boxes, removing certain partitions and instead of removing the boxes entirely simply increasing their size. In many saloons the boxes fined a central passage through the center of the buildings, and at some such places the dividing walls between the boxes have been removed, leaving a large room or two on either side of the center hallway, which can be used for the same purposes the boxes were used for. This seeming compliance with the orders of the board does not satisfy the members, and it is to look into such cases that the board will meet today. Another subject to be considered is that of the restaurants which have made no effort to remove their private rooms. In some of these restaurants the board has no authority whatever, for the reason that some of them do not hold liquor licenses, but it is the intention of the board to enforce its order against all of them who have such licenses, or revoke the licenses.

Political influence is being brought to bear, and more than one member of the City Council has been approached with the request that he induce this or that commissioner to wink at non-compliance with the now famous order. Yesterday a prominent banker, who signed the petition on which it was said something like $30,000,000 of capital was represented, approached one of the members of the board and asked him when the board was going to "let up" on the saloon men. He told the commissioner that the strict enforcement of the order meant business failures among some of the saloon keepers, and asked him to "go a little slow." The reply he got was to the effect that the board has the backing of the lovers of morality in this community, and it is the intention of the board to play no favorites.

The next step which the commissioners are considering is even more radical than that of ordering the removal of private boxes. It is that of forbidding saloon keepers to allow lewd women in their places of business, the penalty being revocation of saloon license. A resolution to this effect has already been drawn up, but it has not been presented. The officers of the police force are urging that some such order be given, for the reason that they think they will then have less trouble with the dives in which the "rolling" of drunken men and fights over women have been frequent. There are a few such places in the city, and it is necessary to keep a close watch over them. They are frequented by the lowest classes, and have been the source of much trouble to the police. At least two of the members of the board have asserted that they will support such a resolution, and it is not improbable that it will be presented at the next regular meeting of the board.

### NEW RUNNING CARD.

### FIRE SERVICE SIMPLIFIED.

The new running card for the fire department, adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners, went into effect yesterday, and hereafter the response of the companies to alarms will be according to a thorough system, with little probability of mistakes. The card was devised by Chief Strohm, with the assistance of Capt. Burns, secretary of the department. It bears the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in the city, the engines which will respond to each box on the first, second, third or fourth alarms, and the manner in which the companies which do not respond will "move up," that is, change to other quarters during a fire, so as to protect the district of the engines which have gone to a fire.

The signal for the second alarm, which is only sounded in case of a serious fire, has been changed to two blows on the gongs, repeated three times, thus, 2-2-2. The third alarm, sounded only when there is danger of a large conflagration, is now 3-3-3. Other signals have been arranged for bringing additional apparatus to a fire after a general alarm has been sounded, but it is not possible except by the use of these special signals to call out the entire department to any one fire. Even a fourth alarm does not cause all the companies to respond, but there are always at least three companies left in reserve for use at fires which might occur while a large fire is burning. Of course the alarms from boxes in the business center of the city bring out the largest number of engines. If the box at Second and Spring streets is pulled, four engines, two trucks and three chemical engines respond at the first alarm. The second alarm brings three additional steamers, and the third alarm two more engines and another truck, making ten engines in all, three trucks and five chemical engines.

It frequently happens that when an alarm of fire is sounded the person who sends it stands at the box and keeps pulling the hook until after the engines are at work. This is not only useless, but is a cause of great annoyance to the department. It is also dangerous, for while that box is running no other box in the city can sound an alarm. If, therefore, while a box is running, it is necessary to turn in an alarm from another box for another fire, say on the other side of town, the constant pulling of the first box might be the cause of great delay and consequent loss. All that a citizen need do to sound an alarm is to pull the hook in the box once and let go. The fire department will do the rest. No matter how many times a hook is pulled, it will not bring more apparatus to a fire than would come on the first alarm, for it is impossible for a citizen to give the signals which constitute a second alarm of fire. Only the Chief, his assistant, or the commanding officer of a fire company can do that.

[AT THE COURTHOUSE.]

## FOUR JUDGES TO BE ELECTED.

*A "Holiday Plum" in the Superior Judgeship Situation. Short Term.*

A new point was sprung yesterday in the Superior Court Judgeship fight that is now engrossing the particular attention of the county's astute politicians.

It comes in by way of a twist of law.

The man to spring it was Dist.-Atty. James C. Rives.

"Few people," said Mr. Rives, "realize that, instead of three, there are four vacancies on the Superior bench to be filled at the coming election. But there are, and it comes about through the appointive power accorded the Governor."

The official's eyes snapped with fun, while his listeners pricked up their ears, and anticipated one of his good jokes.

But he assured them that there was no joke about it—nothing but one of the cold facts of the law.

The judges whose terms are about to expire are Judge York, Judge Fitzgerald and Judge Trask. The last two men are in office by gubernatorial appointment to fill vacancies—Judge Trask having been named under the administration of Gov. Budd to succeed Superior Judge Van Dyke, upon his election to the Supreme bench, and Judge Fitzgerald having been appointed by Gov. Gage to fill the vacancy left by the death of Judge Clark.

Now, Judge Clark's term would not have expired until January 1, while Judge Van Dyke's term would have concluded on January 1, 1901, and his successor would go into office on that day.

But the Governor, under the law, has power to fill a vacancy only until a regular election shall be held, at which time the office is to be filled by election for the remaining part of the term.

Judge Trask's time, therefore, expires on election day next November, leaving almost two months of the Van Dyke term to be filled by election; and, also, a candidate must be elected for the full term that begins on January 1, 1901. Under these circumstances Judge Trask, if not reelected, will have two successors chosen for him on election day.

That little chunk of time from election day in November to January 1, is the curious thing about the whole business.

In Judge Fitzgerald's case it is different. If he is reelected, he will go right on serving out the Clark term, that does not expire until the last minute of 1902. The term he holds, by appointment, however, expires on election day.

Judge York's present term ends January 1, 1901.

A Judge's tenure of office is six years.

"Therefore," concluded Mr. Rives yesterday, after making the matter clear, "there are to be elected next November two judges for six-year terms, one Judge for two years and two months, and one for a little less than two months—four judges in all.

"If, however, they fail to elect to fill the time between election day and January 1, 1901, the Governor would again appoint."

A Judge's salary is $4000 a year, or $333 1-3 a month. Consequently, two months' pay is well worth while, and it is safe to say that some attorney is in the political field with his eye peeled for that holiday plum.

### ALLEGED EMBEZZLER.

### AGENT COXE ARRESTED.

John H. Coxe, a real estate and insurance agent with offices in the Douglas building, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of embezzlement. A warrant was issued by Justice James on complaint of Percy Richardson, an employé of the Oceanic Steamship Company.

Richardson's story is that Coxe has $300 that belongs to him and refuses to pay back that sum.

For several years Richardson, in the course of his employment, has been compelled to be absent from this city much of the time. He owns considerable real property here. A few years ago a forgery was committed in connection with some of his holdings and to clear up his title he had to go to court. This litigation required considerable money. To raise the necessary amount he gave Coxe a general power of attorney to sell a part of his unencumbered property and authorized him to watch his interests while he was away.

Recently Richardson returned to this city and on May 21 of this year Coxe accounted to him for all the moneys which he claimed to have handled in his absence, but failing, it is alleged, to mention the $300 in controversy. On the first of this month Richardson had other business with him, when he says he became suspicious of his agent and on the 4th inst. revoked his power of attorney. A subsequent investigation, Richardson avers, showed that Coxe had mortgaged certain property for $300 and said nothing about it.

Richardson also says that Coxe, when taken to task about the little unpleasantness, admitted that he had raised the money by mortgage and promised to pay it back without delay. The money has not been forthcoming, it is alleged, and now Richardson takes the matter in to the criminal court.

Coxe disclaims any criminal intent in the premises and avers that he has always acted with power of attorney. When taken before Justice James yesterday, he was released on his own recognizance.

### RIALTO IRRIGATION BONDS.

### VALIDITY YET UNDETERMINED.

The case entitled W. F. Sechrist and A. C. Hontoon against the Rialto Irrigation District and others, which was taken to the Supreme Court by the plaintiffs in November 1898, to test the validity of 1000 irrigation bonds, has been reversed and remanded for a new trial.

Suit was originally begun in San Bernardino county and Judge Campbell gave judgment to defendants, after plaintiffs had refused to amend their complaint pursuant to his sustaining a demurrer on the ground, among others, of insufficiency of facts. The plaintiffs are land owners and taxpayers of the Rialto Irrigation District, who prosecute the action for the benefit of themselves and other taxpayers. The defendants are the district, its board of directors and several individuals and private corporations holding bonds that have been issued by the district.

Appellants claim that the bonds are absolutely void and should be destroyed and that the district should be enjoined from levying any assessment to pay any interest on the bonds.

In reversing the judgment of the Superior Court of San Bernardino county, the Supreme Court says:

"In disposing of the demurrer we desire to state that it is not our purpose to express any opinion as to the merits of the controversy should the cause come to a trial. We hold only that the demurrers were not well taken and that the merits should be disposed of after answer and full hearing at a trial."

### CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

### FOR SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER.

So slowly grind the mills of the law that sometimes people get it into their heads that certain notorious cases have been dropped.

One keeps hearing this query: "What about the Breckenridge murder case?" or this one: "When is 'Bob' Stewart going to be tried for rape?" Necessary continuances have postponed both these cases into October, but they will both be tried beyond a question.

Following is a calendar of the important criminal cases now on the docket for September and October:

September 20—Dr. J. W. Going, second trial for grand larceny, the allegation being that he and N. H. McLean conspired to swindle W. H. H. Young, a Whittier rancher, out of $300. The result of his first trial was a "hung" jury.

September 25—N. H. McLean, grand larceny; same as the Going case.

September 26—Mrs. Blinn Pierce, second trial for grand larceny. Mrs. Pierce is accused of running away with $1500 worth of diamonds belonging to an old man named Dr. Daniel Thatcher, now dead, who lived at Tropico. The jury of her first trial disagreed.

October 3—Watson and Jillson, robbery of Policeman Copeland.

October 8—Watson, murder of W. J. Breckenridge at corner of Vermont avenue and Twenty-fourth street. Breckenridge was shot in a hold-up.

October 15—Murray, murder; same as Watson murder case above.

October 22—"Bob" Stewart, ex-policeman, for rape.

Besides these more important cases the criminal calendar also comprises a lot of trials for meaner felonies.

### SCOTT M'KEOWN SUED.

### HIS FOOTGEAR UNPAID FOR.

Scott McKeown, in the days before he went "broke," when he imagined he was worth $400,000, wore some very fancy shoes that are as yet unpaid for. They were always made to order and cost anywhere from $7 to $10 a pair. He usually had two or three pairs made at a time.

McKeown has just been made defendant in a suit filed in the Township Court by O. J. Bamberger, who holds an assigned claim of $152 from E. C. Horn of Washington, Pa. Action is begun to recover this amount for "special" footgear ordered by the young man from May, 1897, to March, 1898—thirteen pairs in all. Before this little bill was settled McKeown moved to Los Angeles in November, 1898.

After much waiting, Horn has at last put his claim into a California court and, through his assignee, asks judgment for $152, with interest to July 30 of this year, amounting to $22.04.

### INCORPORATIONS.

### TWO COMPANIES YESTERDAY.

The Astor Oil and Development Company incorporated yesterday, with a capital stock of $500,000, divided into 500,000 shares, of which amount 25 has actually been subscribed. Los Angeles will be the company's principal place of business. The directors are M. R. Clement, Mark J. Samuels, A. J. McCormick, Roy A. Brousseau and D. E. Spangler, all of Los Angeles.

The Aladdin Oil Company, with principal place of business in Los Angeles, incorporated yesterday with a capital stock of $250,000, divided into 250,000 shares, of which amount $2915 has been subscribed. The directors are E. J. Lawton, Louis Luckel, W. G. Blewett, Los Angeles; W. S. Collins, C. R. John, Riverside.

### COURTHOUSE NOTES.

### BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW CITIZEN. John Nelson, a native of Denmark, was naturalized by Judge York yesterday.

CLERK WORKS AGAIN. A. W. Francisco, popularly known as "Andy," is at his desk again as clerk of Department Six of the Superior Court, after a few days' absence attending the Native Sons' celebration in San Francisco. He returned Wednesday night and is full of tales that are wonders.

SUIT OVER PROPERTY. Lillian Sturge and her husband, Frank P. Sturge, of Pasadena, began suit yesterday against Elizabeth Adams to recover $670, alleged to be due on some Pasadena property which in August, 1894, Arthur A. Adams contracted to buy for $1200 on the installment plan. After July, 1896, he fell behind in his payments, and now plaintiffs sue to recover the balance.

SMALL ESTATE. Anna M. Rhodes has petitioned the Superior Court for letters of administration in the $400 estate of her deceased brother, Henry M. Rhodes, who died at Inyo on February 4, 1897, leaving real property in Pasadena, Long Beach and out in the desert of San Bernardino county.

DUNN DIVORCE. Mary F. Dunn has been divorced from Charles A. Dunn in Judge Trask's court on the ground that the defendant was recently convicted of a felony and sentenced to State prison.

TO COMPEL CONVEYANCE. George F. Pabst began suit yesterday against the Bixby Land Company to compel defendant to convey a certain ten acres of land near Long Beach to plaintiff without reservations, according to an alleged agreement, dated in March, 1898, whereby he was to get the premises for $750. The property was deeded to him last June, but a thirty-foot strip of his land was reserved for roads and pipe lines. Fifteen days later he discovered how his deed read, and now he sues to get title to the entire ten acres.

SMALL DAMAGE SUIT. Louis Palma brought suit in the Township Court yesterday against O. R. W. Robinson, asking damages in $200. Palma charges malicious arrest. He avers that on August 24 Robinson had him arrested for battery and that he was in the City Jail for two hours before he could give bail. On September 6 the complaint against Palma was dismissed, and now he sues his accuseer for damages, alleging a fractured reputation.

[POLICE AND JUSTICE COURTS.]

## CHARGES ARE DROPPED.

*W. B. Atwood, Accused Bookkeeper of Box Factory, Allowed to Go Free.*

Criminal charges against W. B. Atwood, the book-keeper of the Los Angeles Box and Beehive Company, have been dropped to enable him to go East to visit his mother, who is dying in Michigan.

Yesterday morning, Judge Austin dismissed the charge on motion of the District Attorney, and with the full approval of Arthur E. Rose, the complaining witness. The shortage was made good to the company by friends of the accused.

Atwood had been in the employ of the company a few months when it was discovered that there were false entries in his books. At the time, it was supposed that the shortages only amounted to $15 or $20. Atwood made up the amount and was discharged from his position.

Later, however, other eccentricities were discovered in his book-keeping. An expert was put to work and found that a regular system of falsifications had been employed by Atwood. Balances had been forced and altered. Altogether, the company appeared to be out about $300.

Atwood was arrested, and the people for whom he had been working were anxious that he should be sent to State's prison. When the shortage had been first discovered, a misdemeanor complaint had been filed against him, but as the shortages grew, a felony complaint was substituted.

The District Attorney decided however, that it would be impossible to secure a conviction on this, as no one embezzlement amounted to enough to constitute a felony. The offenses were but a series of misdemeanors. Had the case not been dismissed yesterday, a misdemeanor complaint would have been substituted.

Then, from Michigan, came a letter from an attorney who stated, upon his honor that Atwood's mother was dying. He said that the charges against her son worried her dreadfully, and he suggested that they be dismissed with a view of soothing her last hours. He also said that she was very anxious to see her son once more, and not as an accused criminal.

Friends of Atwood, at the same time, offered to square the case. As it seemed hardly worth while to convict Atwood of a misdemeanor, and have the money go in fine to the State, instead of the people from whom it was taken, the factory proprietors expressed their willingness to have the case dropped.

Atwood is said to have left for the East yesterday.

He is a man of about 36 years, and has a family. His late employers claim that they have made an investigation into his career and find that this is not his first offense.

### "LOVE OF WOMEN."

### GIRL-WIFE WOULDN'T TELL.

"I don't know whether he beat me or not. He says, himself, that he just pushed me aside. I don't know which he done."

It was the old, old story of a woman's devotion. She was the girl wife of James Purcella, arrested for battering her cruelly. She went on the witness stand in Justice Austin's court yesterday, and, in spite of her oath to tell the truth, in the face of her sworn complaint against him, spoiled the case. She "fell down," as they say about the courts.

Purcella is a red-faced young man with one eye, and a stock of righteous sentiments, about being willing to be punished if he had broken the law; ready to go off at the drop of a hat. The girl wife is a sorrowful, tow-headed little thing.

"Is it not a fact that you have promised your husband not to testify against him," asked the judge, looking at her keenly.

The girl faltered and looked down. "Yes, sir," she said at last, "I—I thought it was not necessary. I didn't know I had to."

"You know you are sworn to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, don't you?" said the judge, not unkindly.

As though an oath mattered to her, then!

"Yes, sir," she said, a little frightened.

"And you still say then that you don't know whether or not your husband struck you?"

But she was plucky. She looked quickly down at her husband, and replied, "As I told Your Honor before, I don't know now whether he struck me or not. I—I was excited."

"Then what made you scream?"

"I thought he was going to strike me. I was excited. I don't know if he did or not."

Judge Austin thought it over, and for a moment it was very still in the court room. Then the decree of the court came down.

"For the best interests of all concerned, the charge will be dismissed," said the judge. He turned to the wife. "If you come into court and make a complaint against him, he will be severely punished, if found guilty. If your complaint against him is false, then you will be punished."

The girl made no reply.

Then the court turned to Purcella: "And next time, sir, the charge against you will be prosecuted. If you are found guilty, you will be severely punished."

Purcella delivered himself of another righteous sentiment, and left the courtroom with the girl wife.

### "LOVE MY DOG."

### COURT'S CHARACTER STUDY.

Yesterday Justice Morgan devoted the afternoon session of his court to a character study of a Russian rat terrier, black and tan on his mother's side. The doggy belonged to Miss Ruby Von Schmittou of No. 501 Miami avenue.

One day a cruel man, named Frank Wadleigh when he is at home and Frank Willard when he is registering at the police station, shot a hole in the dog. Miss Ruby had him arrested.

Whereupon this grave question arose to be determined by the courts of justice:

Did Mr. Willard-Wadleigh shoot the dog in self-defense, or in the arrogant pride of marksmanship?

These are the facts that were related to the court:

Mr. Wadleigh works on an oil well. (He is Mr. Wadleigh when he works on oil wells.) On August 24, as he was going to work, he met two boys with two guns. He borrowed a small rifle from one of them and peppered the Russian terrier, which happened to be standing across the street. He shot it through the leg, and it went home howling bloody murder. Miss Ruby says it was unable to walk for five days.

Wadleigh tried to make the court believe that he was a public benefactor. He said that he really considered that his personal safety compelled him to resort to firearms. He says the dog is a very bad dog. Wadleigh called a police officer and a boy to witness, and they also assailed the character of the dog.

Fraulein Von Schmittou says they don't understand his beautiful nature. The dog has a pink ribbon round his neck to match Fraulein's hat trimming, and the two manifest great affection.

"Why, he's only a puppy. We never had any complaints before," she says to the court quite aggrieved.

Wadleigh's lawyer has determined to show, however, that the dog is of a ferocious and bloodthirsty disposition.

"Is he not of a race renowned for rat catching?" he asks scientifically.

"I don't know," says Miss Ruby, "he never can catch any rats."

Mrs. Smith, with a picture hat, a flaming yellow stomacher, and a mature knowledge tells the court: "Yes, I admit that the little dog barked. We thought it was cute, and we thought everybody else would think it cute. I am sorry (withering sarcasm) that he should have terrified this gentleman."

Mrs. Smith, the husband of Mrs. Smith and step-father of Fraulein Ruby, takes the stand. "We think a great deal of this dog, Your Honor," he says with emotion, "he's so much like another dog we once owned."

At last Miss Ruby, in the defense of the reputation of her pet, stood up and thrust him over the clerk's bench at the judge. The judge must be a stern man, else how could he have resisted Miss Ruby in her pink hat and her net waist?

He only looked the pet over coldly, and said, "Just an ordinary dog."

The doggy dropped the tip of his tail in shame and dejection, and Miss Ruby indignantly withdrew him as an exhibit. This is quite against all rules. The dog should have been filed away with the musty documents in the public archives.

After due and careful deliberation, Judge Morgan vindicated the dog from the smirch on his fair name.

Wadleigh was found guilty and will appear this afternoon for sentence.

### On Russell's Trail.

Hilliard Russell, the colored man recently tried for petty larceny, was arrested yesterday on a charge of perjury. A Mexican, alleged to have held out a helping hand to Russell in his extremity, was arraigned and charged with perjury in the Police Court Wednesday. Russell, it is claimed, strayed from the straight and narrow path of truth in his own testimony.

### Mrs. Thorpe's Sentence.

Police Justice Morgan sentenced Lottie Thorpe to serve forty days for vagrancy yesterday, and disposed of one the vilest cases that has ever come to the attention of the police. Mrs. Thorpe is the woman whose husband persuaded her to become a member of what Mr. Kipling calls "the oldest profession in the world," and who forced his children to keep watch over their mother's sinful relations with other men.

### Mrs. Kline Disciplined.

Mrs. Mabel Kline and Bert Moulton were fined $10 each in Justice Austin's court yesterday morning as a result of the fracas with Attorney Hentig over the possession of the Twenty-third-street house. Hentig was convicted and fined the day before for disturbing the peace by swearing at Mrs. Kline when she would not let him have the premises to which he was entitled.


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### Got a Floater.

Mrs. H. S. Thomas, the young Irishwoman whose pitiful case came up before Judge Austin Wednesday, was sentenced yesterday to pay a fine of $3, with the usual alternative. As Mrs. Thomas was allowed to go Wednesday without bail, to appear for sentence yesterday, the sentence amounts to a floater. It is hardly necessary to say that Mrs. Thomas did not appear to take part in the ceremony.

### Perez Fined.

Benjamin Perez, the Mexican worm doctor, was fined $100 by Justice Austin yesterday for illegal practice.

### Where's Her License?

Dr. Minnie Wells was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday on the charge of practicing without a license. She will plead September 18.

## FOR WOMEN.

### The Educational Plans of the Los Angeles Young Women's Christian Association.

The Young Women's Christian Association has issued a twenty-eight-page prospectus outlining the plans in the educational, social and religious departments for the coming year.

The educational work is maintained for a three-fold purpose: To benefit girls who, forced into the serious work of life before even an elementary education has been gained, have awakened to their need of a broader outlook; to furnish facilities in the evening for women desiring intellectual improvement, who are otherwise engaged in the daytime; and to afford opportunities for women—homekeepers, business or professional—to whom, whatever the previous advantages may have been, who desire to keep up regularly some line of study under the direction of skilled instructors.

Miss Mary MacDermaid of the Boston School of Domestic Science will have charge of morning and evening classes in cooking. Under languages are included French, Spanish and German, and under music choral and orchestral classes, banjo, guitar and mandolin and piano. Miss C. R. Dennen is at the head of the work in English, which includes instruction in arithmetic, reading, spelling, grammar and penmanship. Mrs. Lou V. Chapin will lecture on current history every Tuesday evening. Miss Ida M. Leonard will be the instructor in both elocution and physical culture. Arrangements will be made for those desiring to take special training to correct physical defects or to build up parts of the body that are below normal. Lessons on "Nineteenth Century Art" will be given by some members of the Ruskin Art Club on the week following its presentation before that body.

The Educational Committee has engaged twelve teachers and twenty-one subjects are included in the list.

All classes will open the first week in October. The dates for registration are from September 17 to 29, inclusive, and the formal educational opening will be held on the evening of September 27.

The rooms of the association are open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. The reading table is supplied with many of the leading periodicals. The rest room is furnished with couches and easy chairs. A correspondence table is also at the disposal of visitors. The number of books having been recently doubled through the gift of a friend, the library is being re-catalogued and will be made circulating among the members, beginning October 1.


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## NEW ENGLAND INVADED

*Hurricane Sweeps Up Atlantic Coast Doing Great Damage. Many Forest Fires.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

BOSTON, Sept. 13.—The now famous West Indian hurricane which swept ten days ago from there to the coast of Porto Rico, pushed on to Cuba and Jamaica and thrashed around the Gulf of Mexico, entered New Orleans land yesterday and inaugurated this corner of the country here with a million dollars to add to the already long list of losses which it has destroyed. It started into New England of the wood fires and in many parts of New England thousands of acres of woodland are ablaze and hundreds scores of houses have been burned. Southern Massachusetts alone will aggregate a big sum.

Reports are also received from various parts of New England of damage to the telegraph and telephone wires, houses unroofed, orchards denuded of their fruit, and great damage to standing corn crops.

The gale was also severe on the coast, but it blew off shore so that none of the shipping found little difficulty in getting a lee. Highland Light reported a gale of forty-five miles an hour and no vessels in sight.

Along the water front of Boston harbor, the yachts which had been hauled ashore into winter quarters were tossed about and some broke from their moorings. The storm has calmed down materially and only early winds are predicted for the night.

### HAPPY HUCKLEBERRY

Among the sumach blooms,
A pensive purple pill,
I beam
And blow
And gleam
And glow,
Reflected in the rill,
And trust I ne'er may lie
In the majestic and mysterious way of pie.

Beside the old stone wall
I indolently nap,
And e'er
Tip tilt,
Yet ne'er
To wilt,
I flip and flop and flap
And hear the cricket shrill
Discourse his fantasy upon his sawing mill.

Throughout the sunny day,
And eke the starry night,
All stoled,
I hold
In fee
The small boy's appetite;
I am the biggest gem,
Likewise the brightest in his diadem.

May I, the inner bear,
Ne'er gild by any chance—
A pearl
To make
Him whirl
And shake
His pedals in the dance.
But at the turnpike's hem
Fade in the frost upon my frosty gin stem.

Oh, may I shine, while all
May days glide sweetly by,
A pill
Of blue
To thrill
Clean through
The bee and butterfly;
And then an autumn's tide
Pass all unknown, unsung, unwept, unplucked, unpied.

—[R. K. Munkittrick, in New York Herald.

Very Important Arrival, Exhibit and Sale of Fine China.

Limoges, Dresden, Carlsbad, Staffordshire and other world-famous china-making centers contribute to this the greatest show of beautiful china ever assembled in Los Angeles—and best of all, prices are so low as to interest the most economical and place the finest china on dining tables in every home.

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These are beautifully decorated, very pretty shapes and by all odds the handsomest china ever sold for $5. If you want a larger set, 100 pieces at $9.00.

A Beautiful Gold and Color Set $7.50.

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[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

ON, Sept. 13.—The now famous dian hurricane which started s ago from there to the east of Porto Rico, pushed across d Jamaica and thrashed about f of Mexico, entered New Orleans esterday and inhabitants in ner of the country have nearly n dollars to add to the losses ut of leases which this storm d. It started into life several ored fires and in many sections England thousands of acres ood are ablaze and several f houses have been burned. In Massachusetts the heavy egate a big sum.

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ut the sunny day, the starry night, All stoled, I hold In fee all boy's appetite; biggest gem, the brightest in his fond em.

the inner bear, d by any chance— A pear To make Him whirl And shake als in the dance. e turnpike's hem e frost upon my fragile th eam.

shine, while all s glide sweetly by. A pill Of blue To thrill Clean through and butterfly; on autumn's tide unknown, unsung, unwept, ed, unpied.

Munkittrick, in New Yo

DEEPENING WELLS.

IN LOCAL FIELD.

many new wells now be- in the local field, consider- is being done in deepening In both the eastern and cen- good results have followed

wells of the Westlake Oil deepened recently, and that they are now pro- oil than when first put on months ago.

Company is the latest Yesterday it began to well on Bellevue avenue, ween First and Miramar

wells have been started. Oil Company has the ground for its fourth Hospital grounds. have erected a der- ll street between First streets. It is the inten- drilling at once hite has also made ar- to begin drilling in a few obtained a lease on the by Richard Crown & Commonwealth avenue and

well of the Northern Con- l, near the corner of San and Ocean View avenue, on the pump yesterday for the It started off with a flow

SAN PEDRO BOOM.

ILLERS READY TO BEGIN.

will soon be the center oil field that now gives becoming of considerable Already six companies this territory, and nearly erations erected.

indications in the field are very flattering. Along the ocean front are rich seep- and on the hills back deposits of asphaltum are to be found. coast of the ocean off the coast Beach to San Pedro of oil on the surface, all of considered by experts to in- a large deposit of oil is to neighborhood.

south slope of the hills San Pedro, and within a short from the lighthouse, the Oil Company has put up a rig, and is ready to begin

a mile south the Harbor Oil has a derrick and machinery and will begin drilling as soon arrives.

& Co. own a large tract of a mile east of the Company. They are now at to an up-to-date plant, and ex- to be able to report progress be- the end of next week.

& Probert have a derrick up are also waiting for fuel oil to be-

Oil Company's lease, and one-half miles east of the property, a first-class derrick



[THE OIL INDUSTRY.]

# SPECULATORS

*d a Picnic on 'Change Yesterday.*

*itement Over a Find Near Covina.*

*rous Operators Now Ready to Begin Business at San Pedro.*

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

r 71,100 shares of stock were sold the floor of the Los Angeles Oil ange yesterday, the second largest s business in the history of the k. Of the 71,100 shares d changed hands, the market value which was $6132.50, just 25,600 shares e of listed stocks, and $3,500 of un-

ese oils show a downward ten- ay, and also the declines from day ay, in the aggregate they ere added to considerable. Consolidated now sells for ast half the price at which it was ago. The same is true of West- Home and many others. Con- governing the actual value of ers are found enough, but they influential as market factors. e is purely local, and ry possible to dispose of 100 time, speculative values will ually changed.

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| | 200 | .34¾ |
| | 100 | .34¾ |
| | 100 | .34¾ |
| | 200 | .37 |
| | 25,600 | $4608.75 |

ds and offers were: Continental 32½ asked; Fullerton Con- 49½ asked; Alpha, 23¾ asked; Rommel, 25 bid, 28 asked; Turner, $1 bid; 60 cents bid; Electric, 30 bid. Jack was again quite active The sales were:

| | Shares. | Price. |
|---|---|---|
| Jack | 24,000 | .23¾ |
| Jack | 15,000 | .23 |
| | 1,500 | .23¼ |
| & Garbutt | 6,000 | .20 |
| | 46,500 | $1347.75 |

PETROLEUM.

floor of the Los Angeles Oil yesterday a bid of $1.12 a made for 14 gravity oil in

CALIFORNIA EXCHANGE.

transacted on the California Stock Exchange yesterday was

| | Shares. | Price. |
|---|---|---|
| | 100 | .40 |
| | 200 | .41 |
| | 500 | .50½ |
| | 200 | .17½ |
| | 300 | .17½ |
| | 400 | .42½ |
| | 100 | .34 |
| | 400 | .34 |
| | 5,000 | .05 |
| | 1,000 | .07½ |
| | 8,100 | $1291.50 |

ng the bids and offers were: 36 cents bid, 45 asked; Uncle cents bid, 38 asked; Wilson, 12 40, 23 asked; Los Angeles Oil Transportation Company, $10 Diamond, 33 cents asked; Tur- 7-16 bid, 33 asked; Parker, 60 cents

DEEPENING WELLS.

IN LOCAL FIELD.

many new wells now be- in the local field, consider- is being done in deepening In both the eastern and cen- good results have followed

wells of the Westlake Oil deepened recently, and that they are now pro- oil than when first put on months ago.

Company is the latest Yesterday it began to well on Bellevue avenue, ween First and Miramar

wells have been started. Oil Company has the ground for its fourth Hospital grounds. have erected a der- ll street between First streets. It is the inten- drilling at once hite has also made ar- to begin drilling in a few obtained a lease on the by Richard Crown & Commonwealth avenue and

well of the Northern Con- l, near the corner of San and Ocean View avenue, on the pump yesterday for the It started off with a flow

SAN PEDRO BOOM.

ILLERS READY TO BEGIN.

will soon be the center oil field that now gives becoming of considerable Already six companies this territory, and nearly erations erected.

indications in the field are very flattering. Along the ocean front are rich seep- and on the hills back deposits of asphaltum are to be found. coast of the ocean off the coast Beach to San Pedro of oil on the surface, all of considered by experts to in- a large deposit of oil is to neighborhood.

south slope of the hills San Pedro, and within a short from the lighthouse, the Oil Company has put up a rig, and is ready to begin

a mile south the Harbor Oil has a derrick and machinery and will begin drilling as soon arrives.

& Co. own a large tract of a mile east of the Company. They are now at to an up-to-date plant, and ex- to be able to report progress be- the end of next week.

& Probert have a derrick up are also waiting for fuel oil to be-

Oil Company's lease, and one-half miles east of the property, a first-class derrick has been installed, as has also a new up-to-date pumping plant. Owing to lack of fuel, development has not been begun as yet, but will be started by the first of next week, as wagons of oil are now on the way to the wells.

FIELD GOSSIP.

DRILL AND PUMP ACTIVE.

Another local company has entered the Whittier field, and will soon be numbered among the active operators in that rich territory. The new fortune hunter is known as the Whittier Grand Oil Company, with headquarters in the Laughlin Block. The property obtained by the company is situated in the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 25. This is considered a very good part of the field, and in view of the fact that there is now oil on every side, operators are confident that there is oil underneath. The Central, Turner and Home companies have wells in the neighborhood.

Good progress is being made by the Southern Consolidated Company at Rincon. The company's first well is down over 700 feet, with 9¾-inch casing to the 700-foot mark. Below that level 7¾-inch casing will be used.

Well No. 5 of the Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company is making a good showing. The drill has been sent in 700 feet, with the result that the flow of oil has increased. Well No. 6 is going slow.

The machinery of the U. S. Oil Company is now on the ground and spudding in will be begun in a few days.

The first well of the Eureka Company in the Temblor field is 850 feet deep. The operators expect to make a strike near the 1000-foot mark.

The McKittrick Company has resumed operations. The drill is now in thirty-five feet of oil sand.

The Arizona Western, drilling on section 8, 29, 23, is down 500 feet.

Work will be started within a few days by the Sunset Diamond Oil Company, operating on section 12, 11, 24.

Those who are interested in the construction of a spur up the arroyo running along the west side of 22 and north, San Joaquin Cañon, as it is now called by common consent, says the Bakersfield Californian, have sent in the petition recently signed by owners, asking the Southern Pacific to lay the rails. The representation is made that the trade ready for the road is fifteen carloads per day, a conservative estimate.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Producers' Association of Ventura county will be held at Bakersfield next Saturday.

ANOTHER FIND.

MORE OIL AT PUENTE.

COVINA, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] Considerable excitement has been caused here by a new strike of oil near Puente. The new find was made early this week in a well being sunk for water by W. R. Rowland, in his bottom lands near the schoolhouse and immediately adjoining the lands of the Rowland Puente Oil Company, in which many of our citizens are interested. The oil, which was struck at a depth of sixty-three feet, is of light gravity and appears to be present in considerable quantities.

# HELP FOR THE SUFFERERS

*People of Los Angeles Respond to the Cries of Distress from Galveston.*

The people of Los Angeles are generously responding to the cries for assistance in the stricken city of Galveston, and sunny Southern California will do much toward relieving the distress of the sufferers.

ELKS HELP.

Yesterday Los Angeles Lodge, No. 99, B.P.O. Elks, through its secretary, Frank J. Cooper, wired Galveston Lodge, No. 126, that a draft for $100 would be honored at once, as Los Angeles Lodge No. 99's starting contribution for the relief of brothers in distress in the afflicted city.

BENEFIT ARRANGED.

The local theatrical people have come to the front to aid the needy victims, and a benefit has been arranged for next Tuesday afternoon, at the Burbank, Manager Morosco of that theater and Manager Pollock of the Orpheum will jointly provide the talent, and Manager Wyatt of the Los Angeles Theater is also on the Programme Committee. An exceptionally fine bill will be presented, opening at 1:30 o'clock, and a crowded house is looked for. Talent from the Oliver-Leslie Company and from the Orpheum artists will be the attraction. All the proceeds will go to the Galveston sufferers, and donations for the same worthy cause will be received at the box office, and properly accounted for. This benefit will, it is believed, eclipse anything of the kind ever given in Los Angeles.

Blanchard Hall has been secured for the sale of seats and boxes for the benefit, and they will be auctioned tomorrow (Saturday) morning at 10:30 o'clock by Miss MacGregor, leading lady of the Burbank company. A special committee has been selected to take charge of this matter, and will meet at the Chamber of Commerce at 1 p.m. today to make further arrangements.

MANY CONTRIBUTIONS.

The Citizens' Committee has already sent $4000 to the people of Galveston, and only a portion of the city has been canvassed. The Los Angeles-street Committee alone reports $1150 subscribed, and more to hear from. The work of the committee, which is an active one, has been most satisfactory, and the response very liberal.

The fruit and commission houses have offered a carload of fruit and vegetables, if needed, provided transportation facilities are granted. The Santa Fé railroad has agreed to transport free of charge anything that may be donated in this line, and has already provided two special freight trains to carry the supplies to the scene of the disaster. One will be loaded with Illinois contributions, and the other with supplies donated by the people of Chicago, San Francisco and Los Angeles.

SOME CONTRIBUTIONS.

Following is a partial list of those who contributed to the relief fund yesterday, with the amounts given:

Haas, Baruch & Co., $50; K. Cohn & Co., $50; Cohn, Goldwater & Co., $10; Lazarus & Meiser, $5; Dan Murphy, $10; Los Angeles Farming and Milling Company, $50; Flint & Wise, $5; Pacific Crockery and Tinware Company, $10; Standard Woodenware Company, $5; Union Hardware and Metal Company, $50; A. J. Boths, $5; American Steel and Wire Company, $10; J. A. Haskell, $5; Newell Mathews Co., $10; Hawley, King & Co., $20; A. H. Busch & Co., $5; W. P. Fuller & Co., $20; Blake, Moffitt & Towne, $20; W. W. Montague & Co., $10; Fairbanks, Morse & Co., $10; Hayden & Lewis Company, $25; W. H. Perry Mill and Lumber Company, $25; E. P. Bosbyshell, $5; Jud Seeger, $5; B. Hayman, $5; Baker & Hamilton, $10; Bishop & Co., $25; California Implement Company, $10; R. L. Craig & Co., $50; Arnott & Co., $10; C. B. Boothe, $10; Llewellyn Iron Works, $10; J. D. Hooker & Co., $50; M. W. Stewart & Co., $10; San Gabriel Electric Company, $25; Lloyd-Scovil Iron Company, $10; S. C. Foy, $5; Johnson Carvell Company, $5; Western Commercial Company, $10; Pacific Coast Biscuit Company, $15; Newmark Bros., $10; Pioneer Roll Paper Company, $10; J. H. Reynolds & Co., $5; M. A. Newmark & Co., $50; Kingsbaker Bros. Company, $10; John Wigmore & Sons Company, $10; Edison Electric Company, $25; John B. Miller, $10; Simpson & Hack Fruit Company, $10; Keystone Produce Company, $10; Backer & Sentous, $5; W. C. Patterson Company, $10; Barkley & Gray Grocer Company, $35; E. H. Millar & Co., $5; Bailey & Warren, $10; W. A. Fruhling Bros., $5; The California Door Company, $5; L. W. Blinn Lumber Company, $20; Patten & Davies Lumber and Fuel Company, $5; Los Angeles Lime Company, $5; Maier & Zobelein, $50; Cudahy Packing Company, $25; Jacob Schlesinger, $5; W. T. McFie Well Supply Company, $10; Loeb, Fleishman & Co., $10; Mathews Bros., $10; Stimson & Fleming, $25; cash, $2; Montgomery & Mullin, $10; cash, $1; E. Gilman, $2; Los Angeles Soap Company, $30; Los Angeles Lithographic Company, $5; Stimson Mill Company, $25; Gus D. Harper, $2.50; A. G. Harper, $3; E. W. Jones, $5; G. H. Stoll & Co., $5; Percival Iron Company, $10; C. Ganahl Lumber Company, $25; Grant Bros., $10; Bartlett Music Company, $10; Los Angeles Sewer Pipe Association, $5; Banks & Green, $3; N. Blackstock & Co., $50; E. F. C. Klokke, $10; M. A. Werthmeir, $10; Ferd Phillips, $25; S. Conradi, $10; Albert Duffil, $10; M. F. McLaurin, $5; C. C. Parker, $5; Fred Barman & Bro., $5; A. L. Macllesh, $10; Jacoby Bros., $10; Ross & Son, $5; E. H. Crippin, $5; J. W. Frey, $5; Breese Bros && Co., $5; J. H. Trant, $5; T. E. Carr, $5; Nicklim's Southwest Printers' Supply Association and employés, $10; J. H. A. Goodwin, California Cultivator, $5; H. Luithead, $5; W. J. Oliver, $5; S. F. Moulton, $10; M. N. Newmark, $5; Title Guarantee & Trust Company, $10; The Fidelity Abstract Company, $5; A Friend, $5; A. W. Skinner, $5; Southern California Music Company, $10; Frick Bros., $2; Miss Anna Mansfield, $5.

A SHOT FROM MAXWELL.

Dignified and Pointed Letter Resenting a Recent Local Attack Upon the National Movement.

(Copy.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 6, 1900.

Charles E. Richards, Esq., No. 331 Douglas Building, Los Angeles, Cal.—My Dear Sir: I have just received your favor of the 1st inst., inclosing clipping from the Los Angeles Record of an article containing an interview with Mr. P. Beringer of the California Water and Forest Association. It is a malicious personal attack, and must have been prompted by some animus which does not appear on the surface.

The national irrigation movement cannot be injured by any such methods, and so far as they refer to me personally, I deem them unworthy of notice. If any of the proponents of the State movement choose to lower their cause by such tactics, or by personal abuse, they will have the field to themselves, so far as I am concerned.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE H. MAXWELL.

It should be stated, in justice to both sides of this needless and unprofitable controversy, that Beringer has been dismissed from the service of the California Water and Forest Association by its president, William Thomas, of San Francisco upon the recommendation of Vice-President William E. Smythe, who has charge of the agents and solicitors now canvassing throughout the north. The dismissal was in consequence of Beringer's "bad break" in breaking into the Los Angeles Record with misrepresentation and personal vituperation concerning the national movement and certain of its advocates.

DOT LEEDLE DOG.

The Local Lineman's Tale of How He Got the Wires Through the Pipe.

"How do you get the wires through that pipe?"

"Why, my wife has a little white dog trained for the purpose. We tie a string to his tail and he runs through with it, and then we do the rest."

The conversation took place yesterday at the corner of Seventh and Spring streets. A gang of workmen were engaged in rebuilding the manhole in order to accommodate the new underground wires running from Seventh to Ninth. Every third person traveling that way would stop, take in the situation and then ask:

"How do you get the wires through that pipe?"

It is not without interest. About 200 insulated wires, laid together and wrapped with rubber-coated cloth, make a bundle almost big enough to fill the conduit previously laid in the street and connected with the manhole. To the average person it doesn't at first appear how they can be gotten through, so the man in charge kindly explained, after having aired his little dog joke:

"We take a four-foot length of small iron pipe, tie one end of a rope to it and push it into the conduit; then we screw on another piece of pipe of the same length, and keep on in that way until the rope reaches the next man-hole, when the pipe is taken off one section at a time. The rope is then attached to a windlass, the other end tied to the bundle of wires and they are hauled through."


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| Rubber inserted lead pencils, 1c each, per dozen | 10c |
| English draughting pencils, 5c each, per dozen | 45c |
| Cork penholders, cigar-shaped, anti-cramp | 10c |
| Eagle compass and dividers, perfect ones | 25c |
| Wax crayons, put up 6 in a box, all different colors | 5c |
| A good 2-blade pocket knife, imitation stag handle | 10c |
| Combined ink and pencil eraser, all in one piece | 5c |
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# FULL OF BUSINESS.

## Republican Caucuses Held—Gibbs Out of the Judgeship Contest—Some Bosses "Unhossed"—Nominees.

Another round in the political game was played at the Republican caucuses last night. In many cases the precinct gatherings were far from perfunctory affairs, and throughout the city much interest was displayed in the selection of caucus nominees. The men chosen last night will be voted for at the primaries tomorrow, and it is expected that in the majority of instances they will be elected. The polls will be open tomorrow from 12 o'clock to 7 o'clock p.m.

In many of the precincts there were spirited fights for control. The judgeship contest and the three-cornered fight between Wirsching, Alexander and Cribb in the Second Supervisorial District were productive of the most interest. In several of the precincts the question at issue was the rise or fall of local bosses.

From the caucus returns from the city little can be gained to throw authentic light on the situation as regards the selection of Superior judges, but in Pasadena Judge York won a big victory. The delegates from the entire county will vote on their election, and only partial returns from the country precincts were obtainable last night.

The friends of Supervisor R. E. Wirsching asserted strongly last night that the caucus nominations meant a Wirsching delegation in the convention. In the Seventh and Eighth wards Wirsching had the best of the argument, and the Ninth Ward went almost solid for the ward candidate. In the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth wards, George Alexander, Wirsching's strongest opponent, fared somewhat better, and his friends still claim that he has the best show to represent the Second District on the next Board of Supervisors. J. C. Cribb is still in the fight.

For State Senator from the Thirty-seventh District, Fred Smith is said to have developed exceptional strength at the caucuses, giving him a temporary advantage over his opponent, L. C. Gates. The friends of the latter assert, however, that when the returns are all in, their candidate will be at the fore.

### THE SCRAPS.

There were many interesting caucus fights over J. H. Krimminger and Henry C. Carter, both of whom are desirous of representing the Seventy-fifth District in the next Assembly. Both candidates live in Precinct 21, and one of the liveliest caucuses was held in that precinct. The caucus was held in the new Pasadena-Santa Monica Railway building on Fourth street. The balloting lasted about half an hour, over seventy-five voters participating. Krimminger finally captured the works. Apparently he had much the best of it in other parts of the district.

Quite a bit of excitement developed in Precinct 53. All sorts of unfair dealings is charged against those who conducted the caucus, but no very convincing proof was forthcoming that the caucus had not been rightly held. J. J. Neimeier, the colored editor of the Eagle, presided, and it is said that voters from other precincts were brought in and packed the caucus, which adjourned before 8 o'clock in order to give the "extras" time to return and vote in their home precinct. Those directly implicated, deny that there was any attempt at jugglery.

### DEMOCRATS TRIED TO VOTE.

The contest between Wirsching and Cribb for the nomination for Supervisor brought out a big crowd in the 46th Precinct, and it appeared that twenty-five or thirty Democrats were on hand to take a hand in the game. They were marshalled by Frank Reese, the well-known Democratic politician, and cheekily proposed to participate in the caucus. A motion that no Democrats be allowed to vote was strongly opposed by Dr. W. E. D. Morrison, who insisted that all present should be allowed to take part in the proceedings. He said that many Democrats would vote for some of the Republican nominees for the polls in November, and hence they should be permitted to vote in the caucus. He thought it would encourage them to become Republican voters. The straight Republicans present were in a mood to tolerate such an irregularity, however, and the caucus passed a resolution that none but Republicans should vote. In spite of this resolution, some Democratic votes got in by false pretenses. The friends of Cribb captured the delegation from this precinct.

### "UNHOSSED."

A. S. Tilton, the colored boss down in "de ate," was unhorsed last night, in the Fifty-fifth precinct. The dumping of Tilton caused the only real fight in the ward.

Most of the voters in that precinct are colored men, and it has been supposed that Tilton was so strong that he could not be defeated. Dennis Johnson, one of the colored janitors of the City Hall, was put into the fight, however, and his supporters worked the precinct all day long in his behalf. The result was that Tilton went down.

There were four delegates to be nominated, and there were five nominees. They were, Johnson, Burtch, Taylor, Wells, Tilton. Tilton got only five votes, the others, in the neighborhood of twenty.

One of the surprises of the caucuses was the defeat of W. W. Holcomb and M. B. Walker in the Fifty-third. It is alleged that they were cogs in the machine.

### GIBBS WITHDRAWS.

At the Republican caucuses held in Pasadena yesterday forty-two delegates were chosen for Judge York and twelve for G. A. Gibbs, to be voted on at the primary election of Saturday. As a result Mr. Gibbs practically has decided not to make a contest at the primaries. At a meeting of the Gibbs forces last evening it was decided that if the York men will permit the twelve Gibbs delegates to go to the convention unpledged, they will make no contest at the primaries.

The total vote cast in the eight precincts was 439, of which Judge York received 232 and Mr. Gibbs 237. Gibbs delegates were elected as follows: Five in the Fourth Precinct, three in the Third and four in the Eighth. The Fourth and Eighth precincts were solid for Gibbs, and three delegates were named for him in the Third.

The York delegates are: First precinct, C. C. Brown, F. A. Weir, T. Crew, A. I. Gammon, W. S. Lacey; Second, L. P. Crawford, Dr. F. Grinnell, W. M. Fennel, A. S. Van Etten, J. C. Jackson, T. D. Allen, M. A. Hall, A. Chamberlain, H. A. Cozswell; Third, E. E. Selph, I. Springer, L. C. Turner, S. P. Jewett; Fifth, Delos Arnold, J. S. Cox, A. C. Drake, J. D. Gaylord, J. G. Rossiter, O. W. Stanton, E. D. Tyler; Sixth, J. H. Baker, H. J. Hardwick, T. M. Lancaster, E. O. Nay, C. T. Sutton, E. C. Griffith, J. J. Bunch, M. A. Hester, E. S. Rosenberger; Seventh, Solon Briggs, W. E. Cooley, Thomas Earley, B. W. Hahn, Conrad Jacoby, W. J. Richardson, William Shibley, E. P. Currier.

The Gibbs delegates are: Third Precinct, W. C. Schneider, J. G. Wagner, W. B. Edwards; Fourth, C. C. Reynolds, C. W. Buchanan, Dr. W. C. Smith, J. A. Buchanan, George A. Richardson; Eighth, C. H. Rhodes, Peter Orbon, L. R. Taylor E. N. Cleveland.

In Santa Monica precincts 2 and 3 instructed the nominees for D. G. Holt of that place for Supervisor from the Fourth District. In the city precincts included in the Fourth Supervisorial District the fight was between A. E. Davis, the incumbent, and Peter Williamson; Eighth, Charles Summerland from the Fourth Ward.

There is a long list of candidates for the nomination in the Fourth Supervisorial District. A. E. Davis, the incumbent, wants to be returned to the position. His opponents are Peter Wilson of the Fifth Ward, Charles B. Mitchell of Cerritos, Thomas Stowell of Long Beach and D. G. Holt of Santa Monica.

In the Fifth Supervisorial District, which is nominally Democratic, there is no fight for the nomination thus far. But two candidates have developed any strength in the fight for State Senator from the Thirty-seventh Senatorial District. They are Fred M. Smith of the Third Ward and L. C. Gates, Esq., of the Fifth Ward.

For the Assembly the candidates are as follows:

Seventieth District—W. S. Melick of Pasadena; Mr. Potter of Pico Heights.

Seventy-first—J. A. Goodrich of South Pasadena, Howard Broughton of Pomona and N. D. Ellis of Whittier.

Seventy-second—Dr. O. S. Barnum of the Fifth Ward, W. H. Savage of San Pedro, and J. C. Lewis of Vernon.

Seventy-third—George P. Phibbs, Esq.

Seventy-fourth—Hartley Shaw, Esq.; Dr. W. Johnson, H. F. Bridges, J. J. Neimore, Cornelius Pendleton.

Seventy-fifth—J. H. Krimminger, H. E. Carter, A. A. Bailey.

The results of the lively precinct gatherings held last night are as follows:

### CAUCUS NOMINEES.

Precinct 1—J. K. Hawk, A. F. Stimson, J. A. Donnell.

Precinct 2—William Chislethe, J. H. Preston, John Weldon, W. A. Henshaw, J. C. Scott.

Precinct 3A—W. R. Leeds, E. F. Selick, M. T. Bowler, A. M. Smith, Asa Keyes.

Precinct 3B—George Weeks, Morton Wetzel, William Bullard, H. M. Cooper, J. T. Bailey, Frank Hayward.

Precinct 4—Dr. William B. Bullard, George Weeks, J. G. Bailey, Frank Haywards, H. H. Cooper, Martin Wetzel.

Precinct 5—W. M. Hagan, F. J. Spencer, W. B. Sprague, J. S. Smith.

Precinct 6—J. D. Lawrence, W. R. McDaniel, D. W. Strong, L. A. Holcomb.

Precinct 7—Fred G. Fulton, S. K. Flanders, J. J. Baum, Emery Greene, P. Doyle, J. E. Logan.

Precinct 8—C. A. Layton, William McClain, P. P. Livermore, Frank A. Waters.

Precinct 9—Louis Luckel, Dr. J. Knepper, G. H. A. Goodwin.

Precinct 10—Dr. E. H. Garrett, M. M. Gillespie, C. G. Anders, Ed. Sherer, G. C. de Garmo.

Precinct 11—Frank Lauterio, W. Millard, J. H. Hoffman, A. S. Heitchew, Oscar Lawler.

Precinct 12—Dr. William Le Moyne Wills, R. W. Bull, T. W. Church, Frank Gillispie, T. R. Vaughn.

Precinct 13—A. M. Hamilton, E. G. Hookstratton, C. A. McCallum, E. C. Stephens, Frank McCarrick.

Precinct 14—F. W. Fowler, C. Wyma, L. W. Morgan, O. W. Wicklief.

Precinct 15—E. E. Rivers, D. Fargo, C. E. Day, D. C. Burrey, William Meek, P. Kiefer.

Precinct 16—C. F. Miller, H. C. Register, H. B. Ferris.

Precinct 17—W. J. Hunsaker, E. A. Doran, A. J. Graham, W. H. Edwards.

Precinct 18—Dr. E. M. Pallette, F. B. Silverwood, J. F. Ballard, Truman Cole.

Precinct 19—W. M. Garland, James Boyd, Milo M. Potter, I. Hollingsworth.

Precinct 20—Thomas Holmes, L. H. Dickson, George Hasson, J. G. Mott, H. C. Frymart, S. F. MacFarlane.

Precinct 21—Clarence Furguson, J. H. Krimminger, J. T. Neff, J. H. Faulkner, C. W. Sexton, E. P. Casterline.

Precinct 22—J. W. Lang, E. A. Meserve, F. J. Williams, C. A. Mann, M. L. Dennick, F. W. Partridge.

Precinct 23—G. M. Holton, S. A. Bullinch, W. G. Spence, A. K. Crawford, Donald Barker.

Precinct 24—J. H. Seymour, Edward Huntsman, F. B. Warner, G. Pillsisler, J. D. Barrie.

Precinct 25—W. A. Henry, Dr. H. C. Houghawaut, J. A. Defty, J. M. Holloway.

Precinct 26—W. C. Furrey, E. A. Forrester, A. M. Davidson, John Bloeser, George Lawrence, Dr. Henry Newland, George Van Derwerter.

Precinct 27—A. P. Chipron, H. C. Brown, W. E. Cummings, H. J. Stevens, C. W. Harding.

Precinct 28—E. S. Ellis, G. K. Woodward, T. W. Noble, Clifton Axtell.

Precinct 29—George W. Walker, Earl Lard, L. O. Hall, A. G. Crawford.

Precinct 30—F. N. Pauly, Dr. William Brill, J. F. Hughes, Leon P. Moss, W. H. Crail, O. R. W. Robinson, S. T. Carson, S. P. Mulford.

Precinct 31—J. F. Goodenow, W. H. Laws, C. O. Henry, S. K. Lindley, E. A. Reel, M. N. Eskay.

Precinct 32—P. J. Whiffen, F. Elberson, Edward Lloyd, Louis Mather, A. Edelman, Dr. George L. Cole, W. P. Jeffries.

Precinct 33.—W. W. Beckett, G. W. Judkins, Dexter Samson, George I. Cohcran, George Knarr, E. P. Johnson, Jr.; William H. McGill.

Precinct 34A—Granville MacGowan, A. E. Bagley, Simpson McClure, John Murphy.

Precinct 34B—J. Hill, D. J. Horgan, Mark Keppel, D. P. Riley, W. H. Kilham, R. F. Hayhurst.

Precinct 35A—W. H. Cook, G. L. Hardison, E. W. Freeman, Dr. G. L. Hutchison.

Precinct 35B—Fred A. Hines, W. R. Bacon, J. W. Young, E. H. Barmour, J. A. Osgood, C. W. Fleming.

Precinct 36—A. E. Martin, W. H. Jamison, W. H. Koopman, David Allen, Henry Henderson, Conrad Scherer.

Precinct 37—Frank M. Kelsey, S. T. Kemper, E. W. Hopkins, Joseph Wannop, H. S. Rollins, Merrick Reynolds, Dr. E. R. Smith.

Precinct 38A—O. C. Carle, E. C. Hodgman, C. S. Walton, C. J. Ellis, George C. Sabichl, D. McFarland, Dr. T. J. McCoy, A. H. Potter.

Precinct 38B—T. E. Newlin, T. J. Fleming, F. C. Devendorf, Charles Gates, W. A. Off.

Precinct 39—J. W. McKinley, E. K. Foster, P. A. Stanton, Dr. W. H. Dukeman, W. Parris, William Windhelm, Sydney Parsons, J. W. Kemp.

Precinct 40—C. W. Lee, S. P. Rees, T. R. Deering, J. C. M. Spencer, F. E. Walsh, J. F. Backstraud, W. H. Gaynor.

Precinct 41—H. B. Alexander, F. O. Cass, Silas Hayes, J. F. McAllister, J. M. King, E. Leake, George Fitch.

Precinct 42—C. W. Chase, Harry Iles, Alton Cates, Charles Jenkins, G. A. Howard, S. H. Toll.

Precinct 43—J. P. Davenport, W. C. Marsh, W. J. Scholl, B. N. Smith, Jr.

Precinct 44A—Fred Jenney, J. E. Loomis, J. A. Downs, S. Sepulveda.

Precinct 44B—William Noble, George Boyes, C. G. Hogan, H. Wirz.

Precinct 45A—Fred T. Hughes, S. G. Tyler, B. S. Brewster, R. H. McCray.

Precinct 45B—John Reeves, T. J. Waters, S. E. Banks, J. J. Long.

Precinct 46—J. H. Reynolds, T. J. Hooper, F. W. Stein, Sr., E. H. Dalton, T. J. Hampton.

Precinct 47—George Walker, Joe Sepulveda, John Castera, T. M. McClellan, C. D. Tipps.

Precinct 48A—S. C. Dodge, B. F. Yarnell, F. Penchower, E. A. Cheever, A. A. Fall.

Precinct 49A—F. M. Parker, W. R. Reed, E. F. Hartwell, W. H. Wickersham.

Precinct 49B—Jesse Gough, S. A. Reed, F. E. Little, William Salter, H. M. Warren, L. Sherwood.

Precinct 50—George E. Pillsbury, George W. Knox, C. W. Hartman, H. Ballinger, F. E. Copeland.

Precinct 51—J. E. White, J. J. Whelen, J. H. Nieman, C.-R. Kettle.

Precinct 53—F. Krempel, F. T. McClellan, B. F. Elliott, E. T. Rowell, C. W. Terrell.

Precinct 53—H. B. Brown, Dr. R. Wernicke, S. E. Bisbee, A. G. Naeder.

Precinct 54—E. H. McAneuch, Isaac McVey, F. Smith.

Precinct 55—D. Johnson, E. Burtch, S. D. Taylor, S. E. Wells.

Precinct 57—A—D. B. Ferner, J. M. Washburn.

Precinct 58—A. M. Slauson, L. H. Meredith.

Precinct 57B—John O'Laverty, Precinct 58B—Albert Little, W. R. Sargeant.

Precinct 58B—R. O. Bell, Leon Levy, Precinct 60—George Phibbs, J. A. Nelson, Harry Trowbridge.

Precinct 61—Cass Cline, Crawford Malkinn, Dr. J. C. Blankinton.

Precinct 62—E. H. Bogart, David Barnett, Bernard Haley.

Precinct 63—W. B. Morgan, J. J. Hauston, George Mortensen

Precinct 64A—George Rheinchilds, M. E. Neuner, W. T. Howlett, Y. Lucero.

Precinct 64B—W. P. Schlosser, S. C. Hubbell, E. Eyraud.

Precinct 65—A. W. Sanborn, E. A. Bryant, D. C. Barber, James Adams, A. C. Doan.

Precinct 66—George C. Arnold, C. H. Anderson, P. A. Mulford.

Precinct 67—George W. Campbell, W. J. Variel, J. K. Colerick, M. T. White, C. F. Young.

Precinct 68—R. E. Drummond, Frank Gibson, E. Curley, D. I. Nottager.

Precinct 70—S. P. Rhoades, G. T. Thomas, E. J. Crandall, S. Z. Riley, C. H. Bridges, John Teller, H. P. Gardner.

Precinct 71—C. F. Stuart.

Precinct 72A—N. G. Hetzgerwood, C. A. Sebastian, S. C. Edmiston.

Precinct 72B—W. H. Bonsall, Horace Miller, A. J. Franklin, Jacob Hein.

Precinct 73A—H. C. Gooding, L. A. Phillips, S. A. Garrett, S. B. Alberson.

Precinct 73B—Capt. Hyett, Capt. Walker, K. E. Miller, Frank Wellington, S. R. Schrader, Dr. Nance.

Precinct 74—J. F. Rose, Frank B. Wilkinson, P. H. Butler.

Precinct 75—N. Sayre, E. M. Snyder, G. M. Shade.

Precinct 76—J. W. Lauder, I. B. Gibbs, D. W. Sawyer.

Precinct 77—Thomas Lloyd, F. H. Neffmore, W. F. Sawyer, G. P. Adams.

### SANTA MONICA.

Precinct 1—W. S. Vauter, J. H. Hassinger, C. Stillson.

Precinct 2—W. H. Chambers, F. H. Taft, A. E. Jackson, George E. Williams, A. W. McPherson.

Precinct 3—A. M. Jamison, B. A. Nebeker, Z. H. Lowman, George H. Hutton.

### BICYCLIST BADLY HURT.

Frank Betsworth, of No. 639 South Workman street, while riding his bicycle down Darwin avenue last evening collided with a horse and buggy coming from the opposite direction. The force of the fall rendered him unconscious, and when picked up it was found he had suffered a concussion of the brain. Betsworth was carried to his home and attended by Dr. Carlisle. At a late hour last night he was still unconscious.

### DOMINICK THE STAR.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 13.—Dominick was astride three winners. The track was fast. Summaries:

Seven furlongs: Eight Belles won, Miss Linah second, Hungarian third; time 1:29½.

Five and a half furlongs: Marcy won, Bonitary second, Monos third; time 1:09¼.

Six furlongs: Small Jack won, Queen Anne second, Kate Freeman third; time 1:15.

Seven furlongs: Glen Lake won, El Casey second, Peter Duryea third; time 1:36½.

Mile and seventy yards: Early Bird won, Joe Doughty second, Laureatte third; time 1:46¾.

Six furlongs: Terraline won, Old Fox second, Mona B. third; time 1:15¼.

### AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] W. T. Dunham of Los Angeles is at the Broadway Central; E. W. Britt, Fifth Avenue; Miss L. D. Sternburgh, Normandie. Miss M. McNab and J. D. McNab and wife of Riverside are at the Waldorf. J. M. Radebaugh and Mrs. E. S. McKittrick of Pasadena are at the Waldorf.

### BATTLE OF SAN JUAN.

The whole town is all over the prospect of seeing the "Battle of San Juan" fought over again at Washington Gardens next week, Monday night and every night. Corner of Main and Washington streets. Get your seats early. Sale opens this morning at 9 o'clock, at Fitzgerald's Music House, 111 South Spring street.

# STABLE AS IRON.

## Archer Brown, Iron and Steel Authority, Shows What Republican Rule Has Developed—Iron-clad Facts.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—The iron trade is the backbone of American industry. It has developed more in the past twenty years than any other manufacturing interest in the United States. A leading authority on the subject of iron production to whom all seekers after information are referred is Archer Brown of Rogers, Brown & Co., New York. He has written and signed the following article:

The record of the iron trade in the United States during four years past has no parallel in the industrial history of the world. When the country hesitated between McKinley and Bryan, in October, 1896, we touched the low-water mark. We produced about 400,000 tons of pig iron or at the rate of 7,000,000 tons a year. More than half of all the blast furnaces, rolling mills and steel mills in the country were idle. There were those who believed we reached our maximum in metal manufacture, and that we must continue to concede to Great Britain and Germany the right to supply the markets of the world. Prices for most iron and steel products were at the lowest point ever known in this or any other country. Pig iron sold at $6 to $7 per gross ton at Birmingham, Ala., and Bessemer pig at $9 in Northeastern Ohio. Thousands of men were working in ore mines and coal mines at less than $1 per day wages. In Alabama the average was under 90 cents. Even in the Lake Superior ore region men could not earn enough to live on, and gradually drifted off into other employments. Worse than this, tens of thousands of men who in 1890 and 1892 were profitably employed had no employment at all.

On the side of the manufacturer and capitalist the picture was even worse. Not one blast furnace company in ten of those that kept running were doing more than getting back a new dollar for an old one. A dividend was a thing almost unheard of. Securities of leading companies dropped to nominal figures or were unsalable at any price. The list of bankruptcies of mining companies, rolling mills, car works, steel works and blast furnaces was something appalling. Capital was wiped out by tens of millions. It was rather against the commercial credit of a man to be known as interested in iron properties.

Bad as things were, timid people were alarmed to hear from Bryan and Democratic orators that if McKinley were elected and the gold standard firmly established, the disasters of the past would be nothing to those which would follow. McKinley was elected and the four years which have elapsed have been a revolution in the iron and steel manufacture—not in the direction of greater disaster, but in the direction of the greatest prosperity it has ever known. The change commenced the very month that the result of the election was known, and the improvement has not been uniform through the four years, each year having witnessed steady improvement, and the last six months has touched high-water mark.

Let me give you some figures that will illustrate: In 1894 we produced 8,632,127 gross tons of pig iron. In the first half of 1900, we produced 7,648,589 tons. In the four years our gain was nearly 100 per cent. In 1896 Great Britain produced more than the United States. Their production has remained almost stationary while ours doubled. In 1896, we produced 3,919,903 tons of steel of all kinds. In 1899 our product was 7,580,854 tons as against 1,825,084 tons produced by Great Britain. Turning to stocks of iron on hand, in October, 1896, we carried unsold iron at furnaces amounting to 1,001,574 tons. That was about two months' production at the then current rate. June 1, 1900, we had on hand 382,562 tons, or about eight days' supply at current rate of consumption. But tonnage figures do not tell the whole story. Prices in August, 1900, have declined greatly from the high point of last year, but are still startlingly above the distress period of 1896. We had too much prosperity last year, resulting in an abnormal demand for iron so far in excess of capacity of mills, furnaces, and mines that prices were forced up beyond reason. Wage-earners profited by this everywhere, but consumers of iron suffered and the advance culminated when they would no longer pay market prices. The rapid decline of this year has brought prices down again to a normal level, but the wage reductions have been very small. Here and there 10 per cent. has been taken off where 30 or 40 per cent. had been put on. If markets do not further decline under threats of change of our industrial and financial system, further wage reductions will not be necessary, and hundreds of thousands of wage-earners in the iron and steel trades will be enjoying a prosperity that they could hardly have dreamed of in the Bryan campaign of 1896. The history of the quadrennium proves how closely the interests of the workingmen and their employers are allied. If many voters who derive their living from the vast industries connected with ore mining, coal mining, and iron and steel making, are tempted to change their votes for McKinley of four years ago, because of expansion or trust issues, they ought to brush up their memories and recall what they were earning before the McKinley administration came in.

But the brightest and most significant feature of the iron and steel trade is in connection with export trade. Our good friends among the "free-traders" used to complain of a tariff which gave the growing American industries some protection against the iron and steel makers of the old world, who thought it to be their proper mission to supply us with steel rails, structural steel, and other forms down to pocket knives. But see what has been the outcome. It is like a story in the Arabian Knights. In 1896 we bought imported iron and steel to the value of $44,540,413. We exported $27,000,000. A net difference of $17,500,000 in American dollars sent abroad. Five years later we imported $25,772,136, and exported $35,071,562. The tide had turned and we took $10,000,000 from the foreigners instead of paying them a large sum.

Commencing with the McKinley administration our exports of iron and steel ran up with tremendous rapidity as follows:

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| 1896 | $ 48,670,218 |
| 1897 | 62,737,250 |
| 1898 | 93,771,550 |
| 1899 | 105,689,077 |

Imports ran down near the diminishing point. In the fiscal year ending July 1, 1900, our iron and steel exports reached the enormous total of 21,858,344. The increase since 1896 has been over 300 per cent. Judging by business current in July and August, and the prospects ahead, it looks as though the coming year the export figures in this field alone would be $150,000,000, and we shall import less than $10,000,000. The world at large, therefore, will be paying something like $140,000,000 net yearly to our iron and steel workers.

How is this enormous sum distributed as between the workman and manufacturer? I venture to say that over 80 per cent. of it goes to the wage-earners and less than 20 per cent. to all other interests.

It must be remembered that in the last analysis the cost of iron resolves itself almost wholly into wages. So-called raw materials are all wages except what yield to the owners of the mines as they lie in the ground—in other words, royalties. These royalties, together with the cost of transportation (part of which, however, is wages) and final profit in manufacture is about all there is in the cost of iron and steel outside of what is paid miner and mill and furnace workers. It does not take a very profound thinker to make up his mind who has been enjoying the chief benefits of the great revival in iron and steel that came in with the defeat of Bryan in 1896.

Looking to the future, I speak the sentiment of manufacturers in all sections of the country when I say that if there were a good prospect of the election of Bryan in November next, there would be such a paralysis of the industry as would throw out hundreds of thousands of men, and reduce heavily the wages of those left with work. This is not because of any political views or prejudices of iron makers, for there is nothing so cold and free from sentiment as pure business. But it is because the iron trade is the world over is linked with financial conditions. When capital is timid and drives its work stops on bridges, waterworks, railroads, new buildings, etc., etc., and mills close because they do not have the demand. When money conditions are sound and confidence is here, the new enterprises go forward and the mills and furnaces are called on for their full output. It is because no one seriously thinks that radical changes are to be introduced into our national policies that business is going along very well.

ARCHER BROWN.

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# VON KETTELER'S ASSASSIN.

## Murderer of German Minister Arrested by Japs—Battles With Boxers.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PEKING, Sept. 9.—[Copyright, 1900, by the Associated Press.] The Japanese have arrested the assassin of Baron Von Ketteler, the late German Minister to China. The assassin, who has been handed over to the Germans by the Japanese, has confessed his guilt. He was arrested for trying to sell to a Japanese officer a watch with initials, which he admitted taking from the body of Baron Van Ketteler. He afterward admitted the crime, saying that the imperial government ordered the commission of the act.

Vice-Admiral Alexieff arrived last night for a three days' visit and inspection.

### BATTLE WITH BOXERS.

Col. Pretiekoff's party yesterday engaged with the Boxers several miles from Machipo. The Boxers were armed only with swords and spears. The Russian cavalry charged on them, killing many of them with sabers. The charge was made through a cornfield, and the Russians succeeded in killing the commander of the enemy's forces. The casualties among the Boxers are estimated at 200. A Russian officer was wounded and two Cossacks were killed.

### OTHER ENGAGEMENTS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PEKING Sept. 5, via Taku, Sept. 10—A troop of American cavalry sent to act as a convoy for cattle, surprised 300 imperialists quartered at the Temple Shaho. They killed thirty and captured 120 rifles. The enemy fled northward.

Some Boxers recently attacked two companies of Russians who were guarding a railway working party at the South Maapo station. Reinforcements succeeded in dispersing the attacking party. Two of the Russians were wounded. At this was not the first occasion when attacks of this nature have occurred, a punitive expedition under Col. Pretiekoff was sent with orders to burn the surrounding towns.

### PAO TING FU EXPEDITION.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

TAKU, Sept. 10.—Rain delayed the starting of the Pao Ting Fu expedition until 2:30 o'clock Saturday. One column is moving west and the other southwest. The troops marched fifteen miles and encamped at Yung Liu Chipg, meeting no opposition. They advanced to Mao Chang on Monday.


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# OUBLE AHEAD

*ation in Democratic unty Convention.*

*ing Caucus Scandal o Be Shown Up.*

*Political Doings—Silver publicans Open Shop— Republican Meetings.*

...ost-startling story going the ...s of Democratic politicians, to ...ard that the "purists" in the ...ty ranks are going to make a sen... at the coming county convention ...ducting and forcing the pas... of a resolution appointing a spe... committee to investigate the oft... ...ged doings that several of the ...leaders rode to the recent State ...ntion as the guests of the South... Pacific Railroad. It is even as... ...d in some quarters that, if the ...ges are not found to be true, an at... will be made to expel certain ...om the convention.

...ong the McCaffery "Boxers" or... ...ny would smile, but now they ...ite worried, for the straight ...s have been so domineering lately ...ir Democratic workers who ...e more favorably inclined to... ...e "gang," are openly scoring ...ld outfit, and threatening to ...n the "reformers" in re... ...aggregation.

...ason is to a Democrat a ...ainst the holder thereof, ...d Democrat happens him... ...ing on one of the free

...Francisco Call, in its report ...ratic Sixth Congress Dis... ...ention, held at San José, ...ment owes his preferment ...to the support of twenty-four ...s from Los Angeles, who came ...vention on Southern Pacific ... Their leader was Thomas Mc... ...the Southern Pacific train... ...ster at Los Angeles, and F. W. ...r was their chief spokesman." ...a doubt a large number of ...s went from here to San José ...n, and voted as the Southern ...lieutenant ordered them to do. ...e a considerable number of af... ...to the contrary may be de... ...d, if the "purists" persist in their ...ination to expose the railroad's ...ge. Members of the "gang" ...openly admitted that they rode on ...y are now beginning to hedge, ...e showing receipts for fare paid.

**MORE INVESTIGATION.**

...there are several little happen... ...recent primaries that may be ...considered at next week's ...

...e pleasant stories is one to ...ld in McCaffery's precinct ...Democratic primary one ...ve times, making a light... ...of wearing apparel be...

...hich is a boss out in his ...t will be remembered as ...e turned in 105 straight ...e primary election to se... ...each ballot having ...Beckwetherd's name subst... ...of W. F. Burbank, the ...s nominee. Unfortunately ...ulators of that little deal, ...secured the polling list ...t, and found that eighteen ...named there are not ...in the precinct. ...precinct, one or two of ...were written down as ...died a year ago. Other ...numerous to mention are ...been perpetrated. Now ...have fortified them... ...proof of the rank frauds ...prepared to burn brim... ...the heads of the "push" ...were concerned.

...one precinct these fellows ...12 votes for their ticket. ...not more than eighty Demo... ...district. About twenty-six ...actually cast, as we can ...ballot boxes at a ...tion is punishable by law. ...gang may look for all the ...an handle. If they op... ...ition for an investigating ...the county convention, ...exposures will be made ...against men who think ...covers in their infamous ...spoke a "reformer" ...

...Democratic County Con... ...not be tame.

**PUBLICAN CLUB.**

...Republicans of the city ...campaign last night by ...dedication of their new ...hall in the store at Nos. ...South Spring street, for... ...by Jacoby Bros. The ...which has charge of the ...exactly the resurrected ...Republican Club, which, ...last campaign, had ...quarters on South Main ...what it could for the ...Instead it is composed ...who were members ...anted little club, some ...a few Democrats. They ...the entire building, and ...addition to offices, two ...These meeting will be held ...as it is possible to se... ...dance of an audience. ...held last night the club, ...called such, proposes to ...place a school of instruc... ...will be taught there ...if the pupils appear. J. ...is one of the head ...was in charge last night, ...an excuse for opening such ...fact that the parties which ...nia have not been able ...single newspaper worthy of ...Southern California. ...dance was large, the en... ...ground floor being filled, ...unable to find seats. The ...enthusiastic at times, too. ...those present were ladies, ...been something of an effort ...and on the walls ap... ...number of political cartoons ...a San Francisco publi... ...pillars were draped with ...a flag was hung behind. ...made the opening speech. ...by saying that four years ...Republican party went into ...here woodcocked. The ...nominated for Congress, ...it then had every confi... ...down." He had declared ...for silver in terms which ...misunderstood, but later ...withdrew," and proven him... ...to the convention which had ...him. "That action by Mr. ...said the speaker, "caused ...here of the Silver Re... ...Club, and the formation of ...Republican party in Cali...

...Dern declared that the silver ...is far from dead, but owing ...events in the Orient it will take ...itself. There are more vital ...before the American people ...until he, than that of silver, and


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then in a long speech he tried to show what he considers the dangers of expansion and "imperialism." He announced that the presence of Mr. Graves, the Democratic nominee for Congress, had been expected, but that gentleman is ill at his home in San Luis Obispo. Ex-Senator White had also been expected, but he is in San Francisco. He announced that on Monday evening the Young Men's Democratic Club will meet at the hall for the purpose of perfecting an organisation.

E. H. Lamme, Esq., was then introduced and made a carefully-prepared speech. He began on "imperialism," and for nearly an hour spoke on the "injustice" which is being done the Filipinos. At the conclusion of his speech, during the rendition of an "original campaign song," composed and led by J. Mills Davies, a collection was taken.

Ralph Hoyt was the next speaker. He had sixteen reasons why he was going to support Bryan, and it took him a long time to tell them, so long, in fact, that a large part of the audience left the hall.

Earl Rogers, Esq., closed the exercises with a fifteen-minute speech which caught the audience, and he was frequently interrupted by applause. He declared that the Democrats were the first expansionists and claimed for that party all the credit of having extended this country from ocean to ocean, but he said it stopped where nature had decreed it should stop. He then made a number of humorous allusions to the Sultan of Sulu, classing him as a fellow-citizen.

It was announced that Congressional Nominee Graves will be in this city next Thursday evening and will speak at the club's rooms.

**DELMAS WILL SPEAK.**

D. M. Delmas, the Democratic orator from San Francisco, will speak tomorrow night in Music Hall to the Bryanites. Thomas L. Winder will preside over the meeting. This will be the formal opening of the local "anti" campaign.

**REPUBLICAN CLUBS.**

The Precinct 48A Republican Club was organized at No. 602 East Eighth street last night. This is the first precinct club organized in the Seventh Ward. The club starts off with eighty-three members, and expects to carry that portion of the ward usually claimed by the Democrats, for the Republican party by a big majority. The following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, that it is the sense of this club that precinct and ward clubs be organized by the Republicans in every ward and precinct in the Sixth Congress District, in order to lend practical assistance toward the election of our brilliant and able candidate for Congress, the Hon. James McLachlan."

The following officers were elected: H. C. Bohrmann, president; C. P. Lofthouse, treasurer; E. R. Cammest, secretary; Arthur W. Stafford, S. Thompson, D. J. Lewis, Executive Committee.

The Central McKinley Republican Club will hold a meeting tonight at Hotel Coleman, No. 145 San Pedro street.

A precinct club was formed in Precinct 44A at the caucus last night with the following officers: J. E. Loomis, president; J. A. Downs, secretary; James Smith, treasurer. The meeting place of the club will be at the corner of Twelfth and San Pedro streets.

**PERSONAL.**

C. C. Tamm, a New York merchant, is at the Nadeau.

O. G. Walker of Chicago, is staying at the Hollenbeck.

Robert B. Dorham of Cleveland, is a guest at the Van Nuys.

A. C. Burnham, an attorney of Chicago, is at the Van Nuys.

J. H. Rohr, a silk importer of New York, is at the Westminster.

J. W. Keyes, an attorney of Indianapolis, is at the Hollenbeck.

J. L. Pendleton, a business man of Saratoga, is at the Hollenbeck.

E. E. Shaffer, a well-known resident of San Diego, is at the Nadeau.

P. B. Beckart, a business man of San Francisco, is staying at the Van Nuys.

C. C. Durgin, owner of a large shoe store in Boston, is at the Hollenbeck.

C. A. Fusenot, Consul to France, has returned from an eastern business trip.

Dr. W. V. Whitmore, a prominent physician of Tucson, is at the Hollenbeck.

S. G. Turner, a business man of Kansas City, is staying at the Hollenbeck.

Alfred Vale, who registers from Hamburg, Germany, is a guest at the Van Nuys.

W. G. Huston and wife of San Francisco, are at the Van Nuys. Mr. Huston is engaged in the banking business.

Allen G. Freeman, of the firm of J. K. Armsby, wholesale fruit merchants of San Francisco, is at the Westminster.

J. M. Dodge, the well known baseball manager of San Diego, is at the Nadeau. He has been visiting in San Francisco.

Mrs. M. C. Bowler, wife of M. C. Bowler, special agent for the Southern Pacific Railway, has gone on a visit to Kansas City, accompanied by her daughter.

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[THE PHILIPPINES.]

## PROCLAMATIONS MADE PUBLIC.

*American Commissioners Issue One and the Insurgents Make Reply.*

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The Postmaster-General has received from F. W. Vaille, director-general of posts in the Philippines, copies of two undated proclamations, one by the American commissioners and the other by the insurgents.

The American proclamation was of a pacific character, but warned the natives that they had nothing to expect from continuing opposition to the Americans. It promised free transportation home to all insurgents who surrendered their arms and directed the confiscation of all money and hemp belonging to the insurgent government. The natives were notified that the American soldiers were expected to pay for everything they obtained from the Filipinos in the way of food and supplies, and requested the natives to report any case of looting or extortion to the nearest military commander.

The Filipino proclamation issued in reply to this, announced that for a period of ten days amnesty would be extended to all Filipino spies in the employ of the American forces if they presented themselves to the insurgent military or civil authorities. A single exception was made in the case of one Marcello Albinsay, who was denounced as an outlaw beyond the pale, and a reward was offered for his apprehension dead or alive, while the death penalty was pronounced against any one found in his company at the time of his capture. The proclamation further declared that all the threats of the Americans of pursuing the insurgents to the hills were idle, as the American forces were short of food and ammunition, and had received no reinforcements for many months.

**FIRE AT PORT HURON.**

**Milling Plant and Thousands of Bushels of Grain Destroyed—Loss Insured.**

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

PORT HURON (Mich.) Sept. 13.—A fire at noon today destroyed the entire plant owned by the McMorran Milling Company, the Port Huron and Northwestern Elevator Company and D. McMorron & Co. The loss will reach $225,000, covered by insurance. One hundred and fifty thousand bushels of grain stored in the elevator were destroyed.

**FLOATING A GERMAN LOAN.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—It was semi-officially stated today at the office of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., that with one or two other banking houses, they would form a syndicate to float a new German loan. They will be aided by the agents of the Deutsche Bank of Berlin and New York. The official announcement will probably be issued tomorrow. It is understood that Germany is seeking, and will likely succeed, in borrowing $25,000,000 from New York, Chicago and Milwaukee.

**ATTEMPTS TO WRECK TRAINS.**

ABILENE (Kan.) Sept. 13.—Three attempts were made last night to wreck Union Pacific trains west of here. Ties were piled on the track in front of the local passenger train and the flyer west-bound, and heavy iron on the track before the flyer east-bound. The obstructions were discovered and the trains stopped in time to prevent damage.

**LAUNDRYMEN'S CONVENTION.**

BUFFALO (N. Y.) Sept. 13.—At the concluding session of the National Laundrymen's Convention, officers were elected, headed by George W. Simmons of Peoria, Ill., for president.


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**Ladies' Black Vici Kid Lace** Shoes, French heel, medium toes, hand-turned soles, broken lines, regular price $5.00; sale price..... **$3.50**

**Ladies' Hand-turned** Patent Leather, French heels, Lace Shoes, medium toes, broken lines, regular price $5.00, sale price..... **$3.00**

**Ladies' Vici Kid Lace** Shoes, silk vesting top, new toes, all sizes and widths, regular price $3.50, sale price..... **$2.50**

**Ladies' Hand-turned** Oxfords, vici kid, new toes, all sizes, regular price $2.50; sale price..... **$2.00**

**Ladies' Tan Oxfords,** hand-turned soles, regular price $2.00; sale price..... **$1.25**

**Ladies' Golf Boots,** willow calf, welted soles, all sizes, regular price $4.00; sale price..... **$3.00**

**Ladies' Strap Sandals,** regular price $1.50, sale price..... **95c**

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# BUSINESS.

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Sept. 13, 1900.

[The following quotations on sales of citrus fruits in the East yesterday have been wired exclusively to The Times, and hence it is impossible for them to be published simultaneously in any other journal. When so published, they are simply pirated from this paper.]

### ORANGES IN THE EAST YESTERDAY

AUCTION SALES IN NEW YORK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Seven carloads of California oranges were sold at auction this week, all Valencia lates; condition, good. Regular sizes, 25 cents higher, 3.60; small, 3.25; choice, 3.05@3.35. Not much demand.

Only one cargo lemons this week, 18,000 boxes, steamship Pontiac, sold yesterday. Prices very firm. Extra fancy, 300s, 5.75@6.80; fancy, 5.50@6.25; 360s, 5.75@4.50. Seventeen thousand boxes will probably be sold the middle of next week. Weather moderate. Fruit moving freely.

Citrus-fruit at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Only one carload of California oranges was offered here this week. Choice Valencias sold from 1.95@3.60; average, 2.92; 176s to 200s bringing the highest price. The Jamaica season opened this week, 250 barrels being offered. These sold from 4.20@4.70; average, 4.33. They were of good quality, sound, and of fair color. These oranges will be in regular supply from now on.

The lemon market is fairly active, prices ranging from 4.00@6.50. The 300 size is most desirable at present.

Receipts of local peaches and other fruits heavy.

Citrus-fruit Shipments.

There were shipped out from Southern California Wednesday one carload of oranges and two carloads of lemons, making a total for the season of 17,509 carloads.

### FINANCIAL.

NATIONAL BANKS. On June 29 the number of national banks was 3732, an increase of 101 since April 26. The resources were $4,944,165,623.87, an increase of $132,200,000 since April 26, and of $235,300,000 in the year. In loans and discounts there was an increase of $57,477,210.33 since April 26, and of $131,281,616.21 in the year. The United States bonds held were $9,522,500 more than April 26, and $78,281,616.21 more than a year ago. The specie held showed a falling off of $3,037,360.19 since April 26, and $808,377.11 since a year ago. The deposits were $2,438,092,757.67, or $8,880,100.98 more than April 26, and $64,064,751.33 more than at the end of June, 1899.

### COMMERCIAL.

SUGAR HIGHER. All grades of sugar in this market were advanced 10 cents per 100 pounds yesterday morning.

WOOL AND WOOLENS. The world uses annually about 2,700,000,000 pounds of wool. The United States furnishes 335,000,000 pounds of this. Ohio leads all the States in sheep, and California is next. The value of sheep in these States is respectively $8,500,000 and $7,000,000, or was six years ago. It is greater now, Michigan is third, Texas fourth and Montana fifth. The New York Dry Goods Reporter says:

"America makes the best flannels and blankets of the grades in the world, and the West leads the East in this respect. The great volume of the woolen business is in a cheap class of goods, as cassimere, bed-ticks, satinets, cheviots, etc. America is now making a high-grade popular-priced worsted for men's wear. The manufacture of this class of goods begun in 1870, and twenty years later over 73,000,000 yards were made. There are a number of American mills, at least four, whose manufactured products rival that of any foreign establishment in the world in modern machinery and quantity of goods made. The high price of labor in this country does much to hurt the building up of a great export business.

"Since the Calhoun act of 1816 there have been twenty-five changes in the wool tariff. It is noticeable that the amount of wool raised in the United States varies with the duty. During a high tariff the quantity of wool raised is much greater than at any other time.

"About the first woolen mill started in the West was at New Paris, Ind., in 1837. Since that time the West has steadily grown in the number of mills and the volume and quality of her output until today there is something like $60,000,000 invested in western woolen mills. Eastern competition is no longer feared, as in the past years, for, as in knit goods, many western mills ship their product East. In fact, some little export business is done from the western mills, which indicates the possibilities of the market for her goods."

BROOMS MAY STAY HIGH. Speaking of broom corn, the Kansas farmers will have to put up with half a crop this season, and the price will rise accordingly. Broom corn will soar higher in price within a year than it ever did before, in all probability, says the Topeka Merchants' Journal, and the price of brooms will be correspondingly advanced.

Kansas now stands at the head of the list as a producer of broom corn, and the price of the brush is a matter of importance to Kansas people. Within the last two years the broom-corn crop has lifted many a Kansas mortgage and will lift many more within the next two or three years. The fact is that with good prices for wheat, corn, cattle, hogs and broom corn the mortgage is getting to be a reminiscence in Kansas. In a few years people of the effete East will be coming to Kansas to borrow money instead of sending money out here to loan it to our citizens.

### GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

WHAT ABOUT THE TOBACCO TRUST? The trade press almost unanimously is opposed to the trust method of doing business, says the St. Louis General Merchant, and hardly one of these journals reach us weekly but what we see from one to a dozen articles condemning this or that trust. But among all these denouncements we have failed to note one in regard to one of the strongest and most dictatorial of these great corporations, the tobacco trust. And yet the retail merchant has been made to put up with many inconveniences and compelled to sell the trust goods as dictated by the manufacturers. On some popular brands of tobacco the retailer's margin of profits is so small that it is doubtful if it pays him to handle them.

While the tobacco trust is a strong combination, they have no patent on making good tobacco, and there are independent manufacturers who can sell the dealer just as good goods and at as liberal or better, terms than the trust. The fact is, the success of the trust tobaccos is due to the same cause as the success of trust baking powder, biscuits and nearly every other trust-controlled product—it is the extensive and persistent advertising.

As we have pointed out in another column, if the retail merchant is sincere and has a desire to get out of the clutches of these greedy monopolies, he will make an effort to push the sale of anti-trust goods. And in tobaccos his opportunities are greater than in most any other line of goods.

THEY LIKE CALIFORNIA LEMONS. The annual consumption of lemons in the United States amounts to about 5,000,000 boxes. In 1896, Italy and Spain supplied us with 4,700,000 boxes of lemons, and 300,000 boxes were grown in California. Last year there were imported from Mediterranean countries 3,800,000 boxes of lemons and 1,200,000 boxes of the fruit came from the Pacific Coast. This year the importation of lemons will be considerably smaller than ever before, and, providing the present high standard of the California fruit is maintained, says the St. Louis General Merchant, the growers of the State will in the course of a few seasons succeed in driving the Mediterranean lemons from our markets, just as they have driven out foreign prunes and raisins. Rough estimates put the capital invested in California in growing and curing lemons with all the appurtenances at $4,500,000.

### LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

LOS ANGELES MARKETS.

There are no quotable changes in provisions. The market is firm.

Live stock and fresh meats are firm. The butter market is firm at unchanged prices.

Eggs are very firm. Receipts of ranch are very light. The ruling quotation is 23 cents, but some quote 23 to 24 cents. Standard eastern are 19 to 20 cents, and extra select are 21 cents.

Cheese is steady.

Good to choice potatoes are firm at 90 cents to $1 a cental. River Burbanks just in are being held for 80 cents.

Yellow onions are $1 to $1.10 a cental.

Fresh fruits are steady. Apples are generally $1 a box. Fancy will bring $1.10.

Live poultry is quiet. Hens are scarce.

Hay is very firm at the recent advance.

Beans are held for outside prices for No. 1 stock. Supplies of old beans on merchants' hands are light.

**Provisions.**

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 12½; fancy wrapped, 14½@14¾; plain wrapped, 14; mild cured, 12½@12¾; medium, 9¾; Gilbert bacon, 12; Winchester, 13@13½; Wolfer, 14@15; Orange Blossom, 12½.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex brand, 12½; Gilbert hams, 11¾; picnic, 8½@9; Winchester, 13@13½; 6 or 8 lb., 12@12½; Orange Blossom, 12½.

LARD—BULK PORK—Per lb., clear bellies, 10¼@10½; short clears, 10¼@10½; clear backs, 10¼@10½.

DRIED BEEF—Per lb., insides, 14½@15¼; PICKLED BEEF—Per bbl., 16.00; rump butts, 17.00.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 16.50.

LARD—Per 3-lb. pail, 30¢; per 5-lb. pail, pure leaf, 9; Ivory compound, 7½; Suetene, 7½; spec al kettle-rendered leaf lard, 9; Silver Leaf, 9½; White Label, 7½; Ostrich, 8½.

**Dried Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.**

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 3.25; London Layers, per box, 2.70; loose, 6 per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 7@8.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 5@6½; apricots, 7@8½; peaches, fancy, 8½; choice, 7½@8; pears, fancy evaporated, 7@7½; plums, pitted, choice, 10@12; prunes, choice, 6; fancy, 6½; dates, 6@7; in sacks, California, white, per lb., 6@7; California, fancy black, per lb., 6; California, fancy layers, per lb., 10@12; imported Smyrna, 12½.

NUTS—Walnuts, paper-shells, 10½; fancy softshells, 10; hardshells, 9; almonds, softshells, 16½@17; paper-shells, 17@17½; hardshells, 10@11; pecans, 10@15; filberts, 12@14; Brazils, 9@10; pinons, 8@9; peanuts, eastern, raw, 6@6½; roasted, 7@7½; California, 5.

**Live Stock.**

HOGS—Per cwt., 3.00@3.50.

CATTLE—For cows, 2.75@3.00 for prime steers; 3.00@3.15 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.50@5.00.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.00@5.00; ewes, 3.00@3.50; lambs, 3.50@7.00.

**Flour and Feedstuffs.**

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 3.80@4.00; northern, 3.50@4.00; Eastern Pillsbury's Best, 4.25; other brands, 4.25@4.00; Oregon, graham flour, in jute, per 100 lbs.

FEEDSTUFFS—Bran, per ton, 19.00; rolled barley, 20.00; cracked corn, 1.25 per cwt.

**Hides, Wool and Tallow.**

HIDES—Dry hides, 12½ per lb.; kip, 10; calf, 12½; bulls, 6½.

WOOL—Spring, 8@10.

TALLOW—Per lb., No. 1, 5½; No. 2, 5.

**Fresh Meats.**

BEEF—Per lb., 6½@6¾.

VEAL—7½@8.

MUTTON—Per lb., 7½; lamb, 8½@9.

PORK—Per lb., 8¾.

**Butter, Eggs and Cheese.**

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 23; eastern, 19; extra select, 21.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per square, 23; sound creamery, 20@22½; dairy, 17½@20; other creamery, 22½@25; eastern in tubs, fancy, per lb., 22.

CHEESE—Per lb., eastern full cream, 16@16½; Coast, full cream, 11@11½; Anchor, 13½; Downey, 13½; Young America, 14½; 3-lb. hand, 15½; Neufchatel Swiss, 15@16; Limburger, 18; Swiss, 28@29; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.00@9.50.

**Honey and Beeswax.**

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 14@16; strained, 7@8½.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 24@25.

**Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.**

POTATOES—Per cental: Local Burbank, 1.00@1.20; River Burbank, 80@85; sweet, per lb., 1½@2.

ONIONS—New, per cental, 1.00@1.10.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 50@75; cabbage, 75@80; carrots, 85 per cwt.; green chiles, 6@8 per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 50@65; lettuce, head, per doz., 30@40; parsley, 10@15 per cwt.; green peas, 6@7; radishes, per dozen bunches, 20@25; string beans, 3½; turnips, 85 per cwt.; garlic, 6@8; tomatoes, 50@75; summer squash, per box, 25@40; asparagus, per lb., 8@9; cucumbers, per box, 40@50; rhubarb, per box, 40@50; egg plant, per lb., 3½@4½; green corn, per sack, 1.25; melons, 1.00@1.50; pumpkins, 1.00@1.50; cantaloupes, 40@1.50; Lima beans, per lb., 5½; celery, per dozen, 30@35.

**Fresh Fruits and Berries.**

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 2.50@3.25; green, 1.50@2.00.

ORANGES—Per box, Valencias, 2.50@3.50.

LIMES—Per 100, 1.00.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 90@1.00.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@5.00.

STRAWBERRIES—Fancy, 70@; common, 40@.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 2.00@2.50.

BLACKBERRIES—Per box, 50@60.

RASPBERRIES—Per box, 50@60.

PEACHES—Per box, 40@60.

FIGS—Per lb., 3½@4.

APPLES—New, per box, 1.00@1.20.

PLUMS—60@75.

PRUNES—75@1.00.

PEARS—Bartlett, 1.25@1.40.

GRAPES—Per box, 60@65; Cornichon, 1.00@1.25.

**Poultry.**

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition; 5@6 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 7@8; for turkeys, 10@12; geese, 6@8.

GAME—Doves, per doz., 75@1.00.

**Hay and Grain.**

BARLEY—Mill price, 1.00.

OATS—Jobbing price, 1.40@1.50.

CORN—1.25.

HAY—New barley, 13.00@15.00; alfalfa, 10.00@11.00; loose, 9.00@10.50.

WHEAT—Mill price, per cental, 1.30.

**Beans.**

BEANS—Pink, 3.25@3.75; Lima, 5.75@6.00; white, small, 4.00@4.25; Lady Washington, 3.50@3.65.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—So far as the stock market can be relied upon as a mirror of general condition, the country remains plunged in profound doubt and uncertainty. The few movements of prices are little more than ripples on the surface of a stagnant pool. Members of the Stock Exchange are quite nonplussed. Both that class who operate on their own account, known as room traders, and the commission brokers are puzzled over the immobility of the market. The few stocks in which any appreciable movement occurred today were dealt in to so small an extent as to detract from the significance of the changes. The coolers showed some sharp declines. Lackawanna losing 2¾ points, while leading first preferred and New Jersey Central were down at one time to about a point, but partly recovered. The declaration of a strike in the Pennsylvania anthracite coal region had a depressing effect on the general market, as the contest inaugurated is felt to be fraught with vast possibilities of harm. Some depression was reflected from foreign exchanges, London showing uneasiness over the likelihood of the railroad strike.

The leading incident of the day in the financial world was the easing of private discount rate in London in response to the large additional recuperation shown by the Bank of England. The sterling exchange rate fell sharply in New York, Paris and Berlin as a consequence, an advance in the Berlin discount rate helping the movement. The London market was apparently undisturbed by the Stock Exchange settlement, and the 2½ per cent installment falling due tomorrow on the subscriptions to the British exchequer bonds. This leaves half of the subscription yet to be met. The general admission that a German loan to the extent of $25,000,000 is to be placed in New York gives additional interest to the offer of the remaining installments to be paid by American subscribers to the British loan. It is a safe assumption that a liberal proportion of the German loan will have to be met by sold exports.

The bond market continued devoid of interest. Total sales, par value, $710,000. United States 2s, registered, declined ¼ in the bid price.

**Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Atchison | 27⅞ | Union Pac. pfd... | 74 |
| Atchison pfd | 70¾ | Wabash | 7 |
| Balto & Ohio | 11⅛ | Wabash pfd | 18 |
| Canadian Pac. | 89½ | W. & L. E. | 5¾ |
| Canada So. | 48 | W. & L. E. 2d pfd. | 20¾ |
| Chesa. & Ohio | 38¼ | Wis. Central | 14 |
| Chicago G. W. | 19¾ | Third Ave. | 110 |
| C., B. & Q. | 127 | Express Cos— | |
| C., I. & Louis. | 22¾ | Adams | 180 |
| C., I. & L. pfd. | 57 | American | 153 |
| C. & E. Ill. | 150 | United States | 70 |
| C. & N. W. | 161½ | Wells Fargo | 123 |
| C., R. I. & P. | 109¾ | Miscellaneous— | |
| C. C. C. & St. L. | 48 | Am. Cot. Oil | 21¾ |
| Colo. South | 6 | Am. Cot. Oil pfd. | 85½ |
| Colo. So. 1st pfd. | 41 | Am. Spirits | 4¾ |
| Colo. So. 2d pfd. | 15½ | Am. Spirits pfd. | 15½ |
| Del. & Hudson | 119¾ | Am. S. & R. | 16½ |
| D. L. & W. | 175 | Am. S. & R. pfd. | 59¾ |
| Denver & R. G. | 17½ | Am. Sugar | 132 |
| D. & R. G. pfd. | 67¾ | Am. Sugar pfd. | 118 |
| Erie | 11 | Am. Steel H. | 19½ |
| Erie 1st pfd. | 35½ | Am. Steel H. pfd. | 69 |
| Great N. pfd | 183¾ | Am. S. & W. | 16⅝ |
| Hocking Coal | 13⅝ | Am. S. & W. pfd. | 74½ |
| Hocking Valley | 23⅝ | Am. Malt. pfd. | 25⅝ |
| Illinois Central | 116¾ | Am. Tin P. pfd. | 84¾ |
| Iowa Central | 19¾ | Am. Tobacco | 82⅞ |
| Iowa Cen. pfd. | 45 | Am. Tob. pfd. | 123 |
| L. E. & W. | 37 | Anaconda M. Co. | 45 |
| L. E. & W. pfd. | 99½ | Brooklyn R. T. | 74⅝ |
| Lake Shore | 200 | Colo. Fuel & I. | 37 |
| Louisville & N. | 73 | Cont'l Tobacco | 22 |
| Manhattan L. | 104¾ | Cont'l Tob. pfd. | 104 |
| Met. St. Ry. | 153½ | Fed. Steel | 47⅝ |
| Mex. Central | 21¾ | Fed. Steel pfd. | 87⅝ |
| Minn. & St. Louis | 64¾ | Gen. Electric | 140 |
| M., St. L. & P. | 91 | Glucose Sugar | 103½ |
| Missouri Pac. | 41⅝ | Glucose Sugar pfd. | 112 |
| Mobile & Ohio | 38 | Int'l Paper | 14⅝ |
| N., C. & St. L. | 90 | Int'l Paper pfd. | 66½ |
| N. J. Central | 131 | Laclede Gas | 70¾ |
| N. Y. Central | 136¾ | Nat'l Biscuit | 46¾ |
| Norfolk & W. | 32 | Nat'l B. pfd. | 86 |
| Nor. & W. pfd. | 75 | Nat'l Lead | 18⅛ |
| Northern Pacific | 57½ | Nat'l Lead pfd. | 97 |
| Northern Pac. pfd. | 74¾ | Nat'l Steel | 37 |
| Ontario & W. | 20⅝ | Nat'l Steel pfd. | 83¾ |
| Or. R. & N. | 42 | N. Y. Air B. | 113 |
| Or. R. & N. pfd. | 87 | N. American | 15 |
| Pennsylvania | 127⅝ | Pac. Coast | 71½ |
| Reading | 16⅝ | P. Coast 1st pfd. | 81 |
| Reading 1st pfd | 44¾ | P. Coast 2d pfd. | 64½ |
| Read. 2nd pfd. | 28 | Pacific Mail | 43⅝ |
| Rio Grande W. | 34 | People's Gas | 96½ |
| Rio Grande W. pfd. | 84 | P. Steel Car | 31¾ |
| St. L. & S. F. | 18⅝ | P. Steel Car pfd. | 74½ |
| St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd. | 67 | Pull'n Pal. Car | 184 |
| St. Louis 2d pfd. | 73⅝ | Standard R. & T. | 5 |
| St. L. S. W. | 7 | Sugar | 132½ |
| St. L. S. W. pfd. | 28⅛ | Sugar pfd. | 118¾ |
| St. Paul | 118¾ | Tenn. C. & I. | 70 |
| St. Paul pfd. | 171¾ | U. S. Leather | 11¾ |
| St. Paul & O. | 170 | U. S. Leather pfd. | 79¾ |
| So. Pacific | 39¾ | U. S. Rubber | 29¾ |
| So. Railway | 12⅝ | U. S. Rub. pfd. | 75 |
| So. Ry. pfd. | 54⅝ | Western Union | 89¾ |
| Tex. Pacific | 17¾ | R. I. & S. | 14½ |
| Union Pacific | 57¾ | R. I. & S. pfd. | 37½ |
| Total sales, 115,700 shares. | | St. L. | 26 |

**Bond List.**

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|---|---|---|---|
| U. S. R. 3regs | 108 | N. Y. Cen. 1sts | 108¾ |
| U. S. R. 2s coup. | 104½ | N. J. C. Gen. 5s | 122½ |
| U. S. R. reg | 106 | Pacific 3s | 73½ |
| U. S. 5s coup | 113½ | Reading 4s | 104¾ |
| U. S. n. 4s reg | 134 | Y. C. & St. L. | 107 |
| U. S. n. 4s coup | 135 | S. & W. Con. 4s | 98 |
| U. S. 5s reg | 113 | Or. Nav. 1sts | 113 |
| U. S. old 4s coup | 115¾ | Or. Nav. 4s | 102¾ |
| U. S. 5s reg | 115 | Or. S. Line 6s | 127 |
| U. S. 5s coup | 115 | Or. S. Con. 5s | 111 |
| Dist. of C. 3 6s | 122 | Reading Gen. 4s | 89¾ |
| Atch. Gen. 4s | 101⅜ | R. G. W. 1sts | 89 |
| Atch. Adj. 4s | 75¾ | St. L. & I. M. 5s | 111 |
| Can. So. 2nds | 106¼ | St. L. & S. F. 6s | 122½ |
| Ches. & O. 4½s | 93½ | St. Paul Con. 7s | 167½ |
| C. & O. 5s | 110 | St. P. C. & P. 1sts | 119½ |
| C. & N. W. 7s | 140½ | St. P. C. & P. 5s | 119½ |
| C. & N. W. 5s | 129½ | So. Pacific 4s | 75¾ |
| Chicago T. & M. 5s | 91 | So. Pac. Con. 5s | 101 |
| Colo. So. 4s | 81½ | Stand. R. & T. 6s | 87 |
| D. & R. G. 1sts | 103¾ | Tex. & P. 1sts | 112¾ |
| D. & R. G. 4s | 87½ | Tex. & P. 2nds | 33 |
| Erie Gen. 4s | 69¾ | Union P. 4s | 106 |
| F. W. & D. C. 1s | 73½ | Wabash 1sts | 117½ |
| Gen. Electric 5s | 108 | Wabash 2nds | 77 |
| Iowa Cen. 1sts | 113 | W. Shore 4s | 112½ |
| L. & N. Un. 4s | 93¾ | Wis. Cen. 1sts | 87½ |
| M. K. & T. 1sts | 99 | Va. Centuries | 93 |
| M. K. & T. 2nds | 67 | | |

**Boston Stocks and Bonds.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Money— | | W. Electric | 47¾ |
| Call loans | 2@3 | Bonds— | |
| Time loans | 3@4¼ | Atchison 4s | 89 |
| Stocks— | | A., T. & S. F. | 69 |
| A., T. & S. F. | 27⅜ | Mining shares— | |
| A., T. & S. F. pfd | 70½ | Adventure | 24¾ |
| Am. Sugar | 131½ | Allouez M. Co. | 2⅝ |
| Am. Sug. pfd | 118 | Amal. Copper | 88 |
| Bell Telephone | 243½ | Atlantic | 23 |
| Boston Elevated | 143¾ | Bonanza | 2 |
| Boston & M. | 248½ | Bonanza-Dev. | 2 |
| C., B. & Q. | 128¾ | Butte & B. | 42 |
| Dominion Coal | 28 | Calumet & H. | 338 |
| Fed. Steel | 34¾ | Centennial | 22 |
| Fed. Steel pfd. | 87 | Franklin | 14½ |
| Mex. Central | 21¾ | Humboldt | 25 |
| Old Dominion | 17½ | Osceola | 87½ |
| Mex. Central | 172¾ | Parrot | 42 |
| Mich. Tel. | 85 | Quincy | 145 |
| N. E. T. & T. | 93 | Tamarack | 221 |
| Old Colony | 204 | Utah Mining | 27⅝ |
| Old Dominion | 17¾ | Bonds— | |
| Rubber pfd | 57¾ | Wolverines | 42 |
| Union Pacific | 57¼ | | |
| West End | 93¼ | | |

**London Financial Markets.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "The public utterly fails to follow the lead given yesterday in the markets here and consequently a general reaction set in today. Business was unimportant in volume. Restraining influences were a fear of dearer money and of trouble in China and the railway labor war. The announcement that a strike had been ordered in the coal regions of Pennsylvania and there is some inclination among the market leaders here to believe that the strike will prove a fizzle. Money closed hard. Silver was higher on Calcutta buying."

**Money, Sterling Exchange, Etc.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Close: Money—On call, steady at 1¾ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent.

Sterling exchange—Weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.86¾ for demand and at 4.83¾@4.83 for sixty days; posted rates, 4.84@4.84½ and 4.87½@4.88; commercial bills, 4.82¾@4.83.

Silver—Certificates, 62¼@63¼; bar silver, 62¾; Mexican dollars, 49¾.

Bonds—Government, easier; State, inactive; railroad, irregular.

**Metal Markets.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Business in general in metals was of a hand-to-mouth character. Tin lost all of the advance of yesterday, owing to a decline in London, and closed easy at 29. Pig iron is warranted ruled dull, with nothing doing. Copper was firm here at 16.70@17.00 and unchanged abroad. Lead was dull at 4.37½, and spelter easy at 4.00@4.10. The bankers' price for lead was 4.00 and for copper 16.87½.

**Treasury Statement.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Today's statement of the treasury balance shows: Available cash balance, $134,471,745; gold, $72,106,606.

**Consols and Silver.**

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Consols, 98 11-16; silver, 29⅞.

## GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Wheat was strong throughout the session and trade was spasmodically animated. October opened ¼@¾c higher at 74¾@74¾, and easily advanced to 75⅛. Higher cables from Liverpool and light northwestern receipts were the principal factors. Later heavy export sales were reported, and the market rallied sharply, October to 75⅞, which was also the closing quotation.

Corn started weak, but rallied sharply, October closing ⅝c higher.

Oats followed corn. October closed ¼@¼c higher.

A large run of hogs had a depressing effect on the provisions market. October pork closed 5c lower; lard 2½@5c lower and ribs 2½c down.

The leading futures closed as follows:

| Wheat, No. 2— | Closing. |
|---|---|
| September | 75⅛ |
| October | 75⅞ |
| November | 76⅛@76¾ |
| Corn, No. 2— | |
| September | 40⅝ |
| October | 39⅞ |
| November | 39⅜ |
| Oats, No. 2— | |
| September | 21½ |
| October | 21½@22 |
| November | 21⅝ |

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 3 spring wheat, 73@75; No. 2 red, 76@77½; No. 2 corn, 40¾@41; No. 2 yellow, 40¾@41¾; No. 2 oats, 21¼@21¾; No. 2 white, 25; No. 3 white, 23¼@23½; No. 2 rye, 51½; good feeding barley, 36@38; fair to choice malting, 37@51; No. 1 flax seed, 1.49; No. 1 Northwestern, 1.56; prime timothy seed, 4.10@4.20; mess pork, per bbl., 11.45@11.50; lard, per 100 lbs., 6.80@6.82½; short ribs sides, (loose), 6.30@7.00; dry salted shoulders, (boxed), 6½@6¾; short clear sides, (boxed,) 6.90@6.95; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.26; clover, contract grade, 9.00@9.75.

**Grain Movements.**

| Articles— | Receipts. | Shipments. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour, barrels | 24,000 | 12,000 |
| Wheat, bushels | 206,000 | 248,000 |
| Corn, " | 323,000 | 235,000 |
| Oats, " | 291,900 | 324,000 |
| Rye, " | 1,000 | |
| Barley " | 45,000 | 62,000 |

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was quiet; creamery, 18½@20½; dairy, 16@19; cheese, 10½@11¾; eggs, firm; fresh, 15½.

**California Fruit Sales.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Porter Bros. Company sold California fruit today as follows: Grapes—Tokays, 85 to 1.45, small crates; assorted, 1.15 to 1.45; Muscats, 90 to 1.20. Peaches—Salways, 35 to 50.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Porter Bros. Company sold California fruit today at the following prices: Pears—Bartlett, 1.35 to 1.55. Plums—Kelsey, 5.00 to 5.15 per box, and 1.75 per short small crates. Grapes—Tokays, 1.00 to 1.35, small crates; clusters, 1.35; assorted, 1.30 to 1.50; Muscats, 75 to 1.50; Malvoise, 1.10. Peaches—Salways, 60 to 65. Prunes—Silver, 90.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Earl Fruit Company sales California fruit: Grapes—Tokays, 80 to 1.35 single crate. Pears—Bartletts, 1.10@2.80 box; 80 to 90 half box. Prunes—Italians, 85 to 95 single crate. Eight cars fruit sold today.

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Earl Fruit Company sales California fruit: Pears—Howell, average 1.80 box; Beurre Hardy, 1.05 to 1.75; Bartletts, 1.30 to 2.20; Flemish, 70 to 80. Plums—Golden, average, 80 cents single crates. Prunes—Germans, 25 to 40, single crates; Silver, average 80; Italians, 60 to 70; Pacific, 40 to 95; Hungarians, average 65. Eight cars fruit sold today.

**New York General Markets.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Wheat—Spot firmer; futures closed strong, ⅝@⅞c net higher; September, 80½; October, 80⅝; December, 82¾.

Hops—Dull.

Hides—Firm.

Wool—Dull.

Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; mild quiet; futures closed steady, 5@10 points net lower; September, 7.10@7.15; October, 7.15; November, 7.15; December, 7.35; January, 7.40; February, 7.45; March, 7.45@7.50; May, 7.55@7.60, and July, 7.70.

Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining, 4¼; centrifugal, 96 test, 4c; molasses, 4c; refined firm; crushed, 6.35; powdered, 6.25; granulated, 6.12.

Butter—Receipts, 2900 packages; steady; June creamery, 18@21; factory, 16@18.

Eggs—Receipts, 7300 packages; steady; western regular packing, at mark, 11@11½; western, loss off, 18@19.

**Breadstuffs at Liverpool.**

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 13.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 4d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 5d; No. 1 California, 6s 5d@6s 5½d; futures quiet; September, 6s 1d; December, 6s 0¾d.

Corn—Spot firm; American mixed new, 4s 3¾d. Futures, September, 4s 4d; November, 4s 3½d; December, 4s 2½d.

**Dried Fruits in New York.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—California dried fruits inactive. Prunes, 3½@7½. Apricots—Royal, 11@14; Moorpark, 15@18. Peaches, peeled, 14@15; unpeeled, 6@8. Evaporated apples, State common, 3@3½; prime, 4¼@5¼; choice, 5½@6; fancy, 6@6½.

**Northwestern Wheat.**

TACOMA, Sept. 13.—Wheat, quiet, unchanged. Blue stem, 69; club, 56; both for export.

PORTLAND, Sept. 13.—Wheat steady with fairly heavy movement. Walla Walla, 56½@57; valley, 59@60; blue stem, 65@66.

**St Louis Wool Market**

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 13.—Wool quiet and tending lower.

**Pennsylvania Oil.**

OIL CITY (Pa.,) Sept. 13.—Credit balances, 1.25; certificates, no bid.

## COTTON MARKET.

RENEWAL OF THE FLURRY.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Cotton futures opened irregular with prices 4@17 points higher on Galveston specials, insofar as relates to the group of mines which has been in controversy between L. L. Lindsay and William C. Greene. The Republican says: "It (the contest) involved title and ownership to some of the most promising mines in the very heart of La Cananea district. At one time Mr. Lindsay had these mines sold to Mr. Clark, provided the claims of Greene could be settled, but Clark relinquished his option on the mines after holding it for upward of a year, evidently having become discouraged by the long delay in proving the correctness of Mr. Lindsay's title to the property." The latter, the Republican states, is now in possession of the property. This contest has nothing to do with the dispute over the ownership of El Cobre mines, in which Mr. Greene is one of the litigants.

**PILOT KNOB GROUP.**

The Ely (Nev.) News states that W. A. Clark, the copper millionaire, who lately purchased a controlling interest in the Los Angeles Terminal Railway, has purchased the Pilot Knob group of copper mines in White Pine county, Nev. The News says:

"It has now developed that the visit of Senator W. A. Clark's experts to this camp last May was not without effect. As a result of that visit and the subsequent trip of Al Paul to Denver the Pilot Knob group of copper mines, located at West Camp, seven miles west of this town, has been bonded to Mr. Clark and Joseph Giroux, of Denver, the man who developed for the Montana Senator the copper mines of Jerome, Ariz. The deal was made several weeks ago, but the fact has been kept from the public for good reasons until the present time. The owners of the property are Samuel Paul and his sons, Frank, George and Al, who even now refuse to divulge the terms of the bond, except that it provides for the immediate commencement of work on the property. The Pilot Knob group consists of seven claims, and the wonderful showing of copper and gold which was found thereon has been often mentioned in these columns. With intelligent development work, we believe that an enormous mine will be opened up."

COOLGARDIE PLACERS.

Several new good strikes are reported at the lately-discovered Coolgardie placers, near Barstow, San Bernardino county. Reports from there are that the Duncans, Long Range and Yucca mines have been turning out some very rich dust. The San Bernardino Times-Index says of them: "Edward Corner took eighteen ounces, valued at $330, out of the Yucca mine in a few days. D. Smith of Pasadena brought a sack of dust worth $900 into Barstow a few days ago, which he said he and two other miners had panned out in three weeks. At the Long Range mine, which is nine miles east of Yucca, Fred Clark, E. Campbell and Jacob Sterens are doing some prosperous digging. They are making from $4 to $10 a day each."

SOUTH BISBEE ORE.

Some very handsome samples of ore from the mines of the South Bisbee Copper Company, Arizona, are exhibited in a window on Spring street, in this city. They are from the new shaft (No. 3) the company is now sinking on its big group of mining claims at Bisbee, Ariz. The ore, as shown by assays made, runs high in gold and silver and in copper. An assay of one lot of samples gave a total value per ton of ore of $113.76, and an assay of another lot showed total values per ton of ore of $684.81. The company has just received from Washington patents for all its remaining claims, so that it now has its forty-five claims patented. There are two other claims owned by the company, the existence of which was not known until the official survey was made, but they have been located by the company and form part of its group of forty-seven claims.

INTO MINES.

Reports from Ballarat state that a shortage of water has compelled the shutting down of the Mineral Hill mill. That company and some other Ballarat mining companies are investigating the water supply in the Panamint Cañon with a view of putting up an electric power plant to furnish power to the mines.

In the St. Patrick mine a seventeen-foot ledge has been uncovered, the ore from which is reported to run about $20 per ton, with richer streaks.

The Ballarat Company has let two contracts for work. The mill will probably be increased to forty stamps.

Dover, Reyber & Dover, at Stone Corral, have a four-stamp mill running on good ore from the Gold Note.

A lot of eleven tons of ore from the Little Man's Mine averaged $50 per ton net.

TWO-THOUSAND-DOLLAR ORE.

The Idaho City correspondent of the Anaconda Standard gives an account of a strike of some ore in Boise county that yielded $2000 in gold to the ton. He writes: "The richest strike made in this (Boise) county for many years was that made in the Mattie gold quartz mine, four miles west of this place. More than a month ago Alph Anderson and Henry Daley leased the mine from Charles Small and went to work on it. The ledge follows the bed of a dry gulch that was placer mined many years ago. The men began work by sinking a shaft to the depth of twenty-five feet, from the bottom of which a drift has been extended along the vein a distance of sixty feet. The ledge is 5 feet wide, with a 6-inch streak on the hanging wall that shows by continual panning to carry about $2000 per ton. This can be calculated reliably, as a panful is taken from each tub of ore lifted from the mine, washed and the gold weighed. Another foot of the vein is estimated at $100 per ton, while the remainder will go about $20. The country where the mines are situated consists of very low hills. The gulches were worked by rockers in early days, some of these primitive machines taking out from $300 to $800 a day. At the surface the ledges are small, but increase rapidly in size in going down. The gulch in which the Mattie is situated was mined by sluicing thirty years ago, leaving the granite bedrock bare, and, although it could be seen that a ledge ran up it, its richness was not suspected until the shaft was sunk a month ago. The country is a network of ledges, and many of them will be thoroughly prospected during the fall."

RAND DISTRICT.

Messrs. Montgomery and Shipsey, lessees of the Annex mine, have just made a very successful run of forty tons of ore, which yielded within a fraction of $1000.

One or more

# Southern California by Towns and Counties.

## PASADENA.

### Leaps from Window to Death.

### Leptic Patient Takes His Own Life.

### as a Public Carrier—High School Way Up in Rating.

coming year has been fixed as seven-tenths of 1 per cent.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Conger will leave Friday for Clinton, [illegible]a, where they will visit relatives.

I. J. Reynolds and family have gone to Long Beach for a week.

Mrs. Lena R. Morse and family have returned from the East.

Get list of books for this school year at Glasscock's. Cheapest place in city for school supplies.

That summer suit won't last much longer. Better see Heiss Bros.

Wanted, girl for general housework. 335 S. Los Robles.

Novelty silks at Ban Accord.

See Herrick about bicycles.

### SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

WHITTIER GIRLS' GOOD TIME.

AVALON, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, a trustee of the Whittier State School, came over yesterday and went to Camp Whittier to visit her wards, the girls of the State School now encamped there, expecting to remain with them until they break camp Saturday next. The girls are having an extraordinarily good time, as every restraint compatible with proper discipline is removed, books and all sorts of tasks are thrown aside, and they are given a chance to relax the tension of their home life, to enjoy their outing by climbing the hills, bathing, boating, or in any suitable manner they may wish. They are provided with a launch, a glass-bottom boat and a number of skiffs, and boating and bathing are the principal forms of entertainment. The officers in charge are Miss Mary E. O'Hara, principal in charge of the girls' department. The girls are in two sections, which are designated as "A cottage" and "B cottage," Miss Paulding being matron of the former and Miss Helen Bruce of the latter. In charge of the cooking department are Miss Scott and Mrs. Hance, and Miss Marshall and Mrs. Pinkney have charge of the dormitories.

It is nearly an Adamless Eden, but four men, Capts. Cannon, Volkmer, Longwell and Droge, who look after the supplies and police the camp, staying there. It is an entirely closed post, and no visitors are allowed except on invitation of the officers in charge.

The teachers seem to have entirely won the affections of the children, and nowhere will be found a company of girls giving out more demonstrative evidence of love and respect for teachers or parents than do these girls for Miss O'Hara and Mrs. Mitchell.

Among the visitors to the camp are Miss Alice Lyon, teacher of music; Miss Mabel Davidson, the school teacher; Miss McAllister, who is frequently called as nurse, Mrs. Levi J. Thompson, of the faculty, and her daughter, Miss Della Thompson, Mrs. Cannon and little son, and Capt. Volkmer's wife and family are also with their husbands in camp.

Of course it could hardly be expected that among so many girls let loose for a good time there would be no accidents, but there has been nothing serious to mar the pleasure at the camp. May Orin is on crutches from a sprained ankle, and Grace Loud is nursing a broken toe caused by a misstep among the rocks while hunting abalones.

### SANTA CATALINA BREVITIES.

A moonlight launch ride to Seal and [illegible] home, was given last evening by Mrs. George N. Cornell in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Trotter of Pomona. The table was spread in a hillside camp, lighted by the soft rays of the moon and numerous Japanese lanterns of fanciful designs and formed a fairy bower, and the company was entertained at table by songs and recitations from a phonograph. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Trotter, F. C. Harding, Mrs. W. J. Keith, Mrs. C. W. Cox, Mrs. Emma Thayer, Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. Claudius, Mr. and Mrs. F. Fishbeck, Mr. and Mrs. George N. Cornell.

Two parties of goat hunters and others went up on the stage to Eagle's Nest this morning. They were S. H. and T. B. Boardman of San Francisco; C. E. Rees and C. H. Winter of Los Angeles; Mrs. Ellen D. Stearns and H. A. Stearns of Detroit; Mrs. Caroline Dowser of New York and Mrs. Ledbetter of Avalon.

L. H. Gardner, who for more than a year past has been an enforced resident of Catalina on account of his health, captured a big black bass yesterday which weighed 306 pounds. He was out with the Nautilus, and the fish put up a fight which lasted two hours and twenty-six minutes, towing the boat over five miles.

The Edna left for San Pedro this morning, her little party having spent a week here.

Mrs. Groff and daughters, Misses Frances and Alice, left for home today.

Frank Cochran, who has been in charge of the island police arrangements this season, went back today to resume his old position as guard of the chain gang.

A. J. Finlay of Singapore and C. N. Beal of San Francisco are guests at Hotel Metropole.

Judge Charles E. Otis, wife and daughter of Redlands, are enjoying an outing at Hotel Metropole.

Mrs. S. H. Halsted and maid of New York City, and Mrs. Belle Ford of Youngstown, O., have taken a cottage here for a month's stay.

A. H. Kraft of Chihuahua, and J. B. Irving and wife of Alpine, Tex., are guests at the Metropole.

Misses Grace and Ella Barnes of West Thirty-first street, Los Angeles, returned home yesterday.

Miss Katherine Heathcote of San Luis Rey has returned to Catalina, the guest of Miss Russell.

W. H. Heathman of Santa Ana is visiting the island.

Miss Dora Selby of Galveston, is at the Grand View; W. O. Welsh and wife, Miss Cecil Fleming, Miss Myrtle Hartney of Los Angeles, are guests at the Grand View.

Newcomers can secure a furnished tent at Swanfeldt's Camp, Avalon.

The Grand View will make special rates for September.

Reduced rates at the Miramar, Avalon.

### MONROVIA.

ICE MAN ON HAND.

MONROVIA, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] The latest business venture in this neighborhood is the establishment of an ice factory by A. C. Thompson, at his ranch in Duarte. A few months ago Mr. Thomson sank a well in his orange orchard, and at a depth of fifty feet struck a large body of water. As his pump will raise one hundred inches, and he has no use for that quantity, he has concluded to put in an ice plant. The enterprise is meeting with encouragement, and Mr. Thompson will have no trouble in interesting capital, should he need assistance.

The public schools will reopen next Monday.

Charles W. Shafer and Mrs. E. J. Hall of Duarte were married Wednesday.

"TIS TRUE BENT. One trial convinces. Anyvo Cold Cream makes skin perfect.

## POMONA MAN'S FATAL FALL.

### Shocked by an Electric Wire He Dropped from a Pole to His Death.

POMONA, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] Ralph E. Rice, employed by the Edison Electric Light Company here, met an untimely death this morning at 8:30 o'clock, caused primarily by an electric light wire. Rice and an assistant, G. McCarter, were changing some wires, and the former had climbed about twenty-five feet on a pole, and was engaged in cutting a wire, when in some way he received an electric shock and lost his hold.

He struck against a guy wire in falling backward, which precipitated him headlong to the ground. His skull was badly fractured, and his neck probably broken. It will never be known how much voltage passed through the young man's body, but he was not unconscious after the shock, for McCarter, who was standing below, heard him cry out as he was falling. Immediately after the accident, which occurred on Ellen street, just north of the Southern Pacific track, physicians were summoned, but when they arrived the victim was beyond human aid. The body was taken in Kirby & Bowen's ambulance to the undertaking rooms, where the Coroner's inquest will be held.

The deceased was about 24 years old, of sturdy physique, and was highly regarded by all who knew him. He came here from Traer, Iowa, four years ago, and was a football enthusiast, having played successfully in a prominent eastern eleven. Mr. Rice was a brother of Bruce A. Rice, who owns property and is well known here, but who is now connected with the San Gabriel Electric Company, with headquarters at Los Angeles. The deceased was a nephew of E. D. Rice, who lives on Ellen street, Pomona, and a cousin to Miss Lulu Rice, Mrs. Merrill E. Fellows and to Charles E. Rice, of the firm of Wright Bros. & Rice. The Coroner will be out from Los Angeles tomorrow morning, when the inquest will be held.

### ORANGE COUNTY.

FUNDS FOR GALVESTON.

SANTA ANA, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last evening a committee consisting of W. H. Spurgeon, George W. Minter, George A. Edgar, W. W. Crosier, S. H. Pendleton and Rev. Mr. Raymond, was appointed to circulate a subscription paper today for funds to be forwarded through the Chamber to the Galveston sufferers. Early this morning the committee met and began work, several of the members taking the business streets and the remainder the residence portion of the city. Requests were sent to all the ministers not to wait until Sunday to take up collections in their churches for suffering humanity at Galveston, but to raise all the money they could today and tomorrow, in their congregations. This is being done, and by tomorrow it is expected that quite a handsome purse will be telegraphed to the stricken people of the storm and flood-stricken city.

### SANTA ANA BREVITIES.

J. F. Rooney of this city has received the news of the death of his mother, Frances Margaret Rooney at Waterville, P. Q., Can.

A. E. Hawley of this city has a tomato vine growing in the rear of his store yard, covering a space of eighteen feet square, besides mounting a high backyard fence. It is now making for the roof of the adjacent buildings.

The City Board of Education has decided to charge no tuition this year to outside pupils who desire to enter the ninth or tenth grades. A tuition of $30 per year will be charged to those from the outside who desire to enter the High School.

Charles A. Norman and Miss Dot Stephens of West Anaheim, and William Falkenstein of Anaheim and Miss Regina Harris of this city, were married today.

Postmaster Alexander today received 300 rural mail delivery boxes, to be used on the three routes recently established from this city.

### RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

FUNERAL OF J. J. HEWITT.

RIVERSIDE, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] The funeral of J. J. Hewitt, the Riverside banker, took place this afternoon from his late residence on First street and was largely attended. The interment was made in Olivewood Cemetery.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

The City Trustees yesterday awarded the contract for building the proposed steam power-house to J. W. Carroll, whose bid was $4311.

The collections in the City Marshal's office during August amounted to $262.85, of which $230 was for business licenses.

All bids for supplying the city with a corporation yard have been rejected. New bids have been advertised for, to be opened September 25.

The funeral of D. A. Correll took place this morning, brief services being held at the house and at Evergreen cemetery. Mr. Correll was sergeant of Co. E, One Hundred Forty-fifth Illinois Infantry, and served in the civil war in 1864. He was a member of the Riverside Post, G.A.R., and the services at the grave were conducted by the post.

James E. Ball died here yesterday, aged 77 years. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

John Dewey, an old and respected citizen of Elsinore, died of consumption yesterday at the Hollywood Hotel. The remains were taken to Elsinore for interment.

The new Democratic County Central Committee has organized by electing C. W. Barton, chairman; Chris P. Pann, secretary; W. A. Anderson, treasurer.

### ANAHEIM.

NEW RURAL MAIL ROUTES.

ANAHEIM, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] Three mail delivery routes will be started from here Saturday. They will eliminate four postoffices unless the petitions of patrons avail. The offices are Clair, Olive, Yorba and Smeltzer. At Clair every patron of the office has signed the petition asking its continuance. They say they were misinformed as to rural delivery. Much the same feeling prevails at the other points affected. In the case of each office the receipt of replies to letters mailed under the new system would be delayed from twenty-four to forty-eight hours. At present letters mailed to Los Angeles in the morning can be answered in the evening. Under the new system replies cannot reach readers until the following day. The carriers named for the routes are A. H. Sheldon, Frank Eastman and G. L. Lincoln. One of the routes goes to the oil wells. There is much complaint there and request has been filed to change the starting place of the route from Anaheim to Placentia.

ANAHEIM BREVITIES.

Packing-houses have commenced preparations for handling the walnut crop. Within two weeks delivery will begin.

Homer Black's fingers were mangled between the chain and sprocket wheel of a bicycle this morning.

Water in the river has risen steadily this week. There is now much more available than the ditches can handle, and all danger of scarcity for this season has passed.

### CORONADO BEACH.

GAYETY AT THE CAMP.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] This is a gay week at Camp Coronado, for tourists and residents alike are anxious to make the most of the last few days of the Tent City's existence for this season. Special attractions have been given at each of the evening entertainments at the pavilion, and the moonlight nights of the past week have made it possible for many boating and launch parties from town to attend the evening musicals and dances.

A delightful dance was given in the Hotel del Coronado ballroom last evening in honor of the large number of Riverside and Redlands sojourners in the cottage and tent community and at the hotel.

The Coronado public schools opened yesterday with an attendance much larger than ever before.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hanford of San Bernardino were host and hostess of a fishing party yesterday afternoon.

Judge George R. Davis of Tucson, Ariz., whose family have been at Coronado some months was among yesterday's arrivals.

Mrs. Charles Meigs of Redlands gave a large tallyho and picnic party today, into Mexico.

Visitors at Swanfeldt's Camp at Coronado spent a very enjoyable vacation.

### SANTA MONICA.

BIG FLOW OF WATER.

SANTA MONICA, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] The Santa Monica forestry station has struck a fine flow of water in Rustic Cañon, amounting to 600 gallons an hour. Superintendent W. H. Shutt has charge of affairs at the station and is enthusiastic over the strike.

SANTA MONICA BREVITIES.

The Pavilion, which has been controlled by Eckert & Hopf, was sold at public auction Wednesday, Maj. J. T. Jones of Los Angeles being the successful bidder. The property was struck off at $530 for the equity in the lease, building, stock, etc. There is a mortgage of $1600 on the property, and if the deal is consummated the entire cost of the building will be $2130.

In a residence near the Soldiers' Home a few days ago was born an infant, ushered into the world in the presence of its grandmother, great grandmother, and great-great grandmother.

Mrs. B. F. Lee and daughter have gone to the mountains near Pasadena for a brief vacation.

The "boys" at the Soldiers' Home received their [illegible] yesterday. About $50,000 was paid out.

Mrs. Sarah W. Pease and Mrs. David R. Collins of Los Angeles and Mrs. G. W. Walker, Miss Rowan and Charles Pease of Long Beach registered at the Arcadia yesterday.

Miss Heaton of Los Angeles is the guest of Miss Cadwalder for a few days.

Mrs. L. E. Newlin and daughter of Los Angeles are guests of Mrs. Charles Monroe.

### LONG BEACH.

WANTED TO GO TO JAIL.

LONG BEACH, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] In the eyes of at least one man the County Jail is a popular boarding-house. Henry Eldridge, who prides himself on having been a cook at the jail under three sheriffs, was brought before Justice Rosecrens today on a charge of vagrancy. A sentence of ninety days at the county hostelry was imposed. The defendant pleaded for an extension of the time to six months, but the magistrate was inexorable. Eldridge sought to avoid the Los Angeles City Jail, and so thought to be taken before some court out in the country. He borrowed money to go to Pasadena, but failed to break into jail from there, and then came to Long Beach.

HIGH SCHOOL OPENED.

The Long Beach High School was opened Monday with over 100 pupils. Prof. J. T. Anderson is principal. The schools of the primary and grammar grades will open next Monday. Prof. Frazier is principal of those grades.

Subscriptions for the unique Long Beach souvenir to be issued soon are liberal, and citizens are pleased with the success of the plan. It is expected to be a factor in adding to the list of winter visitors to this place. A. Stert, representing the Times-Mirror Printing and Binding House, is engaged in the work.

### SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

TO REOPEN FREMONT TRAIL.

SANTA BARBARA, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] A project is now on foot to reopen the old Fremont trail from the Santa Ynez River to the summit of the mountain. Historical interest will thus be added. The reopening of this trail will not require much labor, except to remove the brush from the route the Pathfinder selected in making his advance on Santa Barbara from the north. The trail was used for many years, and when the first toll road was constructed, the south slope of the route was practically obliterated. The north side, however, may still be made out and is even traveled in these days, though under difficulties.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

Judge E. M. Ross of Los Angeles, who is interested in the large deposits of lithographic stone in the mountains back of this city, visited the quarry today. Development of the stone deposit will begin at once.

The Chamber of Commerce today telegraphed to the Mayor of Houston, Tex., $500, which was raised here for the aid of the Galveston sufferers.

### WHITTIER.

FORMER PRINCIPAL DEAD.

WHITTIER, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] News has been received of the death in San José, Cuba, of George H. Gregory, formerly principal of the educational department of the State School at Whittier. He resigned June 1, to accept an appointment from Gov. Wood of Cuba to start a similar school in Cuba. At the same time the principality of the Redlands High School was offered him. He formerly resided in Santa Ana.

## CAMP FAIRCHILD A MEMORY.

### Retiring Commander Kanouse Honored—Closing Scenes and Incidents.

CAMP FAIRCHILD (Long Beach,) Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] The veterans are vanishing by ones, twos and half dozens, and on Friday the camp will be but a happy recollection. The interest in the annual encampments seems to grow as they recur and, although now and then a veteran who has responded to a higher summons is missed at the yearly assemblage, the attendance keeps increasing. The families of the nation's defenders and of the Sons of Veterans swell the number so that greater and greater facilities are taxed for accommodations. Assistant Quartermaster Mack reports for this year's encampment a total of 193 occupancies of tents and tent-houses. Many of the comrades and their families have been virtually a part of the camp, but have had quarters elsewhere in Long Beach.

COMMANDER HONORED.

At the opening of the entertainment in the Tabernacle Wednesday evening Dr. H. H. Bartlett, the association surgeon, made a speech. He touched happily upon the success of the encampment, and spoke highly of the services of Commander Kanouse in connection with it. At the conclusion of his remarks he pinned on the commander's breast a beautiful engraved gold badge, the mark of a past commander of the association.

"Comrades," said Commander Kanouse, responding to the honor, "when I consider what you have done for me I am attacked with lingual paralysis. I have for almost ten consecutive days been straining my limited vocabulary trying to express my feelings to you. Your cordial expressions of good will have left me dumb."

BANKS POST NIGHT.

The programme for Wednesday evening was presented by N. P. Banks Post, No. 170, and Corps No. 67 of Tropico. Many of the people of that town came especially to witness the work of their home talent. The programme was in charge of Miss Cora Hickman, assisted by her sister, Mrs. D. H. Imler. "Samantha's Album" was a feature that was suitably arranged with scenic effects. A ragtime drill by sixteen people was executed with wonderful precision. It was captained by Miss Hickman, and the captains of the squads were Mrs. Imler and Mrs. Mary Ogden Ryan. Among the other numbers in the programme were prayer by Rev. D. M. Stuart, some original verses, "The Man Without the Hoe," by Comrade G. W. Sanford; a vocal solo by Miss Edna Tinker of Los Angeles; a vocal solo by Elliott Beamer of Los Angeles, and a recitation by Gen. H. A. Pierce.

ENCAMPMENT NOTES.

Among the veteran army nurses not already mentioned who have been guests in camp is "Grandma" Elizabeth Dodge of Santa Monica, who ministered to the sick and wounded in the Mexican and civil wars.

Today's guard detail includes: Officer of the day, Comrade W. [illegible] of Los Angeles; officer of the guard, Capt. A. P. Skinner of the Sons of Veterans.

Comrade and Mrs. A. P. Hoffman of Long Beach entertained at luncheon at the Julian today. Commander and Mrs. Theodore D. Kanouse, Commander-elect C. B. Hamilton, Adjt. C. W. Hyatt, Capt. and Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Maude Burdick and Mrs. Julia Moore.

In the absence of the Bartlett-Logan Drum Corps at guard mount this morning the drum was beat by Maj. Brady of Whittier, and the fife was played by Comrade J. H. Stunts of Pasadena.

A large number of the comrades enjoyed a dance at the City Hall Wednesday evening, to music by Comrade Holguin's orchestra of Norwalk.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Pennsylvania Veterans' Association met Wednesday and elected the following-named officers: President, Mrs. Sarah M. Tomlinson of Long Beach; vice-president, Mrs. Kate Kissel of Tustin; secretary, Mrs. Mary E. Shaw of Long Beach; treasurer, Mrs. Bird Thomas of Los Angeles.

The entertainment this evening was in charge of Comrade E. T. Langley of Santa Ana, chairman of the Committee on Programme. Among the things arranged for were a number of speeches by veterans, and a few songs and readings.

There were 861 veterans' signatures placed on the camp register before it was closed today. The total enrollment in 1898 was 710, and last year it was 849.

The veterans are telling a story about two Irishmen visiting in camp, one of whom inquired of the other the meaning of "G.A.R." on hats and banners. "Ginerally All Republicans," is said to have been the response.

There was an affecting scene in camp this morning, when two comrades for thirty-seven years separated, were brought together. One was J. Q. Hannah of Santa Ana. The other was J. D. Potter of San Bernardino. Both were in Co. F, Second Missouri Volunteer Cavalry. Once, when Potter was wounded, Hannah saved his life.

About forty of the members of Gen. Lawton Camp, No. 40, Sons of Veterans of Long Beach, attacked and took the Sons of Veterans quarters Wednesday night. Squads went through town, captured everybody found abroad and escorted the arrested ones to camp, where they were tried by a military court with plenty of ceremony.

The Sons of Veterans imitated the example of their sires in matters court-martial this morning, and went about gathering up victims. A reporter was arrested by a squad of pretty Patriotic Daughters, put in the guardhouse and accommodated with a news item. He was brought before Capt. Skinner's court, was charged with being abroad after dark without the knowledge or consent of his nearest maternal ancestor, was convicted on white-lied feminine testimony, and was punished in the regulation camp style.

### ORTARIO COLONIES.

COLLEGE FOR CHILDREN.

ONTARIO, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] The Board of Trustees of Chaffey College has investigated the subscription of the citizens of North Ontario, San Antonio and Ontario and found it equal to the amount asked. This eliminates all doubt and for the year 1900-01, every boy or girl in these three cities who has finished the eighth grade will be entered to free tuition at this institution.

ONTARIO BREVITIES.

I. S. Garcia and wife have sold to the Citizens' Bank, lots 353, 354, 369 and 370 in the city, for $15,000.

The thermometer registered 40 deg. yesterday morning.

The Misses Handyside, Arthur Handyside, C. B. Breeman, D. Burroughs, and Jack Rose are enjoying an outing at Bluff Lake.

Miss Julia Tubbs left today for Tulare, where she has a position in the High School.

Miss Helen Horwood visited a few days this week with Ontario friends. She is to teach in the High School at National City this year.

Miss Ethel Bird of Chicago, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Henderson, departed for San Diego today.

Miss Minnie Messmore and Miss Rice of Los Angeles are guests here this week.

NORTH ONTARIO.

The people of this city realize the gravity of the situation at Galveston, and will meet Saturday night to donate money and clothes to the sufferers. Several subscriptions have been received in advance.

The Presbyterian young people enjoyed a picnic at the resort in Stoddard's cañon this afternoon. A large number were in attendance.

Two homes have been entered recently by burglars. A subscription paper to raise money to employ an efficient night-watch is being circulated and freely signed.

Mrs. G. A. Clark has arrived from Mapleton, Minn., to remain for the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Wishart.

CUCAMONGA.

At the Ohio Veterans' Association meeting on Monday, Rev. T. W. Lincoln was appointed to confer with all Ohio associations in Southern California for the purpose of securing the organization of a Southern California Ohio Citizens' Association. In San Bernardino county alone one person out of every thirteen of the people is an Ohioan.

Miss Rockel Milner and Miss Hemp will leave for their home in the East tomorrow after a pleasant nine months' sojourn in Southern California.

The big raisin grapes are ripening rapidly and this year's crop of cured product will be a wonder if a sufficiency of pickers and favorable weather are to be had.

S. Kincaid is seriously ill with pneumonia and fears for his recovery are expressed.

Mrs. Ward and children of San Bernardino are spending the week with Mrs. Silvera of North Cucamonga.

### SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.

TRIAL OF MINING SUIT.

SAN BERNARDINO, Sept. 13.—[Regular Correspondence.] Judge Oster yesterday set the mining suit of W. S. Talmadge et al. vs. A. C. St. John for trial October 4. In a previous trial Judge Oster gave judgment for the plaintiffs, but granted the defendants a new trial. The plaintiffs appealed to the Supreme Court, which affirmed the lower court. The suit involves the ownership of some of the richest claims in the Holcomb Valley mining district.

CARTER-BESSANT.

John C. Carter and Miss Lena Bessant were married at noon yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bessant, on Base Line. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Alfred Inwood in the presence of a small company of friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Carter left in the afternoon for Los Angeles, en route for San Francisco.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

Chairman J. A. Cole of the Democratic County Central Committee has named the following Executive Committee: T. W. Duckworth, John Mitchell, James H. Boyd, C. A. Rouse, J. W. McClintock, W. A. Shay, W. J. Beaver, J. W. Edwards, R. F. Garner, H. W. Nisbet, Robert Bosworth, R. E. McGinness, W. M. Parker, W. J. Kincaid and J. B. Hanna.

Four new members were initiated into Arrowhead Parlor, N.S.G.W., last night, making the total membership 107, an increase of seventy-seven during the past few months.

San Bernardino ladies propose to give an entertainment for the benefit of the Galveston flood sufferers. A meeting of those interested was held this evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wood to make the preliminary arrangements.

Sheriff Borguardt of Bakersfield was in town yesterday to take a look at a Mexican prisoner Sheriff Rouse has in jail and who it was thought might be the man wanted in Bakersfield for murder. The prisoner, however, did not answer the description.

Judge Oster yesterday approved the petition of the executors of the estate of the late E. E. Thompson to transfer the property, and today Col. Ed Dunham assumed the management of the hostelry, the terms of the lease with the hotel association having been finally agreed upon.

Judge Oster has granted Minnie Baker a divorce from W. J. Baker. The case was not contested.

It is reported that a good body of ore has been struck in the Golden Eagle mine of the Harqua Hala group, owned by A. G. Hubbard of Redlands.

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Side combs, assorted sizes and shapes..... 14c
Fancy silk elastic, all colors, ½ length..... 15c
25-cent satin ribbon pulley belts..... 19c
75c leather belts in green, red, tan and black..... 25c
Ladies' fancy buckle garters, silk elastic, worth 50c, at..... 29c

We Sell Spool Cotton at..... 4c

Specials.

Outing flannels in light and dark colors; regular price 8½c, today..... 5c
Arno outing flannelettes, the nicest for wrappers; all the newest shades, at..... 8⅓c
Novelty suitings; sold regularly at 12½, 36 in. wide; best for children's wear..... 12½c
GENUINE FRENCH FLANNELS, 27 inches wide, fancy colors, figured with polka dots; yard..... 75c
52-inch homespuns, all the latest shades of tan, gray, blue and oxfords; sold in most stores at 75c..... 65c
56-inch Venetian cloth in brown, tan, oxfords and grays; regular price $1.25, at..... 85c

Neckwear and Gloves

White lawn stocks with bow..... 10c
Four-in-hand ties, assorted colors..... 12½c
Silk string ties, all colors..... 5c
Misses' 25c taffeta gloves in white and tan, to close at..... 19c
25-cent women's and misses' mitts..... 19c
Odd sizes of 50c ladies' silk gloves, now..... 39c
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San Bernardino, via Pasadena — Leave for, 9:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 7:20 p.m. Arrive from, 9:20 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m.

San Bernardino, via Orange — Leave for, 9:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m., *7:20 p.m. Arrive from, 12:25 p.m., 2:00 p.m.

Redlands, via Pasadena — Leave for, 9:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m. Arrive from, 9:20 a.m., 2:30 p.m.

Redlands, via Orange — Leave for, 9:00 a.m. Arrive from, 11:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m.

Riverside, via Pasadena — Leave for, 9:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m., *7:20 p.m. Arrive from, 9:20 a.m., 2:30 p.m., *8:30 p.m.

Riverside, via Orange — Leave for, *9:00 a.m., *4:00 p.m., *7:20 p.m. Arrive from, 11:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m., *8:30 p.m.

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Pasadena, Monrovia and Azusa — Leave for, 9:00 a.m., 4:30 p.m., 7:20 p.m., **12:30 p.m. Arrive from, 7:00 a.m., 9:50 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 11:20 p.m.

Orange and Santa Ana — Leave for, 9:00 a.m., *7:20 p.m., **12:30 p.m. Arrive from, 9:45 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m., **11:00 a.m.

San Jacinto, Hemet, Elsinore and Temecula, via Pasadena — Leave for, 9:00 a.m. Arrive from, 11:20 a.m.

San Jacinto, Hemet, Elsinore and Temecula, via Orange — Leave for, 9:00 a.m. Arrive from, 11:20 a.m.

Macoupido — Leave for, *7:20 p.m. Arrive from, *11:00 a.m.

Fallbrook — Leave for, *9:00 a.m. Arrive from, *2:05 p.m.

San Diego and Coronado Beach — Leave for, 7:05 a.m., *9:00 p.m. Arrive from, *11:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.

Redondo Beach — Leave Los Angeles, First street, 9:00 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 5:15 p.m. Arrive Los Angeles, First street, *7:30 p.m., 1:30 p.m. Arrive Los Angeles, First street, 8:25 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 4:25 p.m., 7:15 p.m., 8:40 p.m. Sundays.

Santa Monica and Ocean Park — Leave Los Angeles, First street, 7:35 a.m., 5:07 p.m. Arrive Los Angeles, First street, 7:34 a.m., 4:22 p.m.

Rite-Shaped Track — Leave, *9:00 a.m. Arrive, *2:00 p.m.

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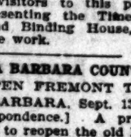

The company's elegant steamers SANTA ROSA and CORONA leave REDONDO at 11 a.m. and PORT HARFORD (SAN LUIS OBISPO) at 7:30 p.m. for SAN FRANCISCO via Santa Barbara and Port Hartford, Oct. 2, 5, 10, 14, 18, 22, 26, 30, Oct. 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28, Nov. 1, and every fourth day thereafter.

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Cars connect via Redondo leave Santa Fe depot at 9:30 a.m., or Redondo Ry. depot at 9:10 a.m. Cars connect via Port Los Angeles leave S.P.R.R. depot at 1:35 p.m. for steamers northbound.

The steamers COOS BAY and BONITA leave SAN PEDRO for San Francisco via EAST SAN PEDRO, Ventura, Carpinteria, Santa Barbara, Goleta, Gaviota, Port Harford, Cayucos, San Simeon, Monterey and Santa Cruz at 9 p.m. Sept. 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 23, 27, Oct. 1, 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 25, 29, Nov. 2, and every fourth day thereafter.

Cars connect with steamers via San Pedro leave S.P.R.R. (Arcade depot) at 1:30 p.m. and Terminal Ry's depot at 1 p.m. Sunday at 1:30 p.m. For further information obtain company's folder. The company reserves the right to change steamers, sailing dates and hours of sailing without previous notice.

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# THE CITY IN BRIEF

## AT THE THEATERS.

BURBANK—Prisoner of Zenda.
ORPHEUM—Vaudeville.

## COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

| | Max. | Min. | Mean. | | Max. | Min. | Mean. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 80 | 56 | 73 | New York | 84 | 64 | 74 |
| Washington | 90 | 68 | 74 | Buffalo | 72 | 60 | 66 |
| Pittsburg | 78 | 58 | 68 | Cincinnati | 84 | 64 | 74 |
| Chicago | 64 | 56 | 60 | St. Paul | 72 | 58 | 67 |
| St. Louis | 90 | 62 | 71 | Kansas City | 78 | 62 | 70 |
| Los Angeles | 76 | 56 | 65 | Jacksonville | 90 | 76 | 83 |

[The maximum is for September 12; the minimum for September 13. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.]

### TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

The Times offers a reward of $10 in cash for the apprehension, arrest and evidence which leads to conviction of any person caught stealing copies of The Times from the premises of subscribers.

THE TIMES-MIRROR COMPANY.

## DOTS AND DASHES.

**Will Discuss Prices.**

The Executive Committee of the Walnut Growers' Association of Southern California will meet at the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow at 10 a. m., to discuss prices for this year's crop.

**Pumpkins and Things.**

The Fullerton Farmers' Club has sent to the Chamber of Commerce a good exhibit of pumpkins, melons, oranges, lemons, grapes, nuts and vegetables. San Diego county has added a fresh display of lemons to its exhibit.

**From China—Near Home.**

In the Terminal Railway Company's uptown office is a gun captured by General Passenger Agent Peck during his recent entry of the city of Peking. The "gun" was mounted by the High School "Boxers" while they were summering in the special car "City of Peking" at Terminal Island.

**Good Roads.**

The programme committee of the forthcoming good roads convention met at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday and mapped out a programme for that occasion. This will be submitted to the president of the National Good Roads Association, W. H. Moore, when he visits Los Angeles in about two weeks.

**Bicycle Accident.**

Frank Betsworth, a cement contractor, while returning to his home on his bicycle last evening at 7 o'clock, had a collision with a carriage driven by Mrs. Mayo, on Darwin avenue, as a result of which he was rendered unconscious. He was conveyed to his home on South Workman street.

**Safe in Galveston.**

Guy Boschke of Terminal Island has received a telegram from his brother, George W. Boschke, at Galveston, Tex., announcing the safety of himself and party. Mr. Boschke is an assistant engineer for the Southern Pacific Company on the construction of the dock work for that railroad company at Galveston, and is well known in Los Angeles.

**Dragging Along.**

The damage suit of Arthur C. Brentmer against the Southern Pacific Railway Company, in which he seeks to recover $25,000 for the killing of his wife at San Pedro on August 11, 1899, ran through its second day in the United States Circuit Court yesterday. There were no startling developments, and no indications of a speedy closing of the case.

**Mothers' Meeting.**

The W.C.T.U. has arranged a series of mothers' meetings, and the introductory one was held yesterday afternoon in the First Methodist Church. It was presided over by Mrs. Anna E. U. Hilles, who dwelt especially upon the necessity of teaching purity in the home. Many topics of interest to the home were discussed by the large number of ladies in attendance.

**Herr Becker's Return.**

Herr Thilo Becker and Mrs. Becker have returned from their trip abroad and are glad not only to be in America but are particularly well pleased to be back in Los Angeles. Herr Becker sums it up thus: "After all, California is the most desirable place in the world to live." He had gone over to Germany with an indefinite notion that he might remain there, but now decides that he had lost nothing and gained much by adopting America as his home.

**Death of Halkins.**

Louis F. Halkins, the printer who shot himself Wednesday night, died at the County Hospital yesterday noon. George Earl, whose place of business is at No. 115 North Main street, is the dead man's brother-in-law, and Halkins lived at his house. Mr. Earl states that for two weeks Halkins had been crazy. Deceased was a morphine eater, although not abandoned to the habit to a great extent. Wednesday he ate dinner with the family, and wandered away from the house.

**Sheep Herders Arrested.**

A warrant was sworn out last week by Charles S. Newhall, superintendent of forest reserves, against fifteen sheep herders for trespassing on the government forest reserve. The matter was placed in the hands of Deputy Marshal G. F. McCulloch, who yesterday sent information that he had arrested three of the offenders, and had taken them before the United States Commissioner at Fresno. He says he has the others in sight, and expects to have them in limbo on Saturday. Deputy Marshal Charles B. Oswald of Bakersfield also reported yesterday the arrest of four herders in Inyo county, and their arraignment before the United States Commissioner at Bakersfield. These herders are in the employ of large owners of sheep, who have been grazing them on the government lands in defiance of law.

## NEWS AND BUSINESS.

The edition de luxe of the Midwinter Number of The Times, printed on fine paper, with beautiful illustrations, is the most complete, as well as the handsomest, publication on Southern California yet issued. Copies may be seen at the Times business office, or at any of the leading book stores. If you want something handsome to send to an eastern friend, this specially beautiful and complete publication is what you are seeking. Nothing in illustration or text which will give an idea of the Southwest, its climate, products or soil, has been omitted. Equal in size to ordinary 500-page book. Price 50 cents per copy. The Times-Mirror Company, publishers.

Remember the needy. Save your cast-off clothing, beds, bedding or stoves for poor families of the city. A request is also made for shoes and clothing for poor children. There are many poor families in need of wholesome food, and potatoes, beans, groceries, or canned fruit will be most thankfully received. Drop a card to Fred Wrigsted, at the "Good Samaritan" (formerly Capt. Fraser's place,) No. 135 East Seventh street, and anything you have to donate will be called for.

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Get your reserved seats and see the "Battle of San Juan" fought over again. Every night next week, beginning Monday. Seat sale opens this morning at 9 o'clock, at Fitzgerald's Music House, 113 S. Spring street.

The prizes offered by The Times in the Census Guessing Contest can be seen in the window at the Southern California Music Company's store, 216 W. Third street.

The Marlborough School For Girls will reopen September 18. Mrs. Caswell will be at home September 15. Positively no seats reserved unless engaged beforehand.

Preparatory department of Occidental College, a good place for students of High School grade. Small classes, individual attention. See "ad."

For time of arrival and departure of Santa Fé trains, see "Time Card" in today's Times.

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There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for R. Pryal, Lee Ferriel, Morgan Jones, W. B. Burrows, Miss Tillie Peterson, Thomas B. Merry (3,) and W. W. Busch.

## ARMY AND NAVY LEAGUE.

**Resolutions Indorsing James McLachlan for Congress—Published in "The Times" by Request.**

To the officers and members of the Army and Navy Republican League of Los Angeles county, California:

Comrades: Your committee, heretofore appointed to prepare and present resolutions indorsing the candidacy of Hon. James McLachlan for Congress, beg leave to report the following:

"Whereas, the Hon. James McLachlan was nominated by the Sixth Congressional Republican Convention, held at Santa Barbara on the 22nd of August last past, by the unanimous vote of the convention, and whereas, his record in a former Congress is well known to us, he having served his constituency with signal ability and faithfulness; and whereas, in his reelection, the experience acquired by him in the halls of Congress is a guarantee of still greater influence and efficiency, and whereas, at this hour of our country's need all loyal Republicans should use every effort to strengthen and support our noble President and comrade, William McKinley; therefore be it

"Resolved, that as an organization we hereby indorse the nomination of Mr. McLachlan, and that as members of the same we will individually exert our best efforts in the use of all honorable means to secure his election. And be it further

"Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be presented to Hon. James McLachlan and that they be published in the Republican papers of Los Angeles county.

(Signed by Wm. H. Savage, A. E. Davis, Sam Kutz, Committee.)

## SCORCHER KILLED.

**Head Waiter of Eckert & Hopf Had Head-on Collision with Trolley Car.**

Death has caught another man who teased it by riding between the car tracks.

H. O. Logan of Santa Monica was killed yesterday morning out on Washington street near Rosedale Cemetery by colliding with a trolley car. He was using the deadly bicycle path, and was scorching with his head down.

Logan was the head waiter of Eckert & Hopf's at Santa Monica, and was riding to the city to be a witness in the insolvency proceedings when the crash occurred. He was riding in company with J. J. Buaid and Charles Greil of Santa Monica.

At the time of the accident they were about 100 yards ahead of Logan. They turned out for the car. Logan evidently did not see it. The car was running slowly, but Logan smashed into it, going full tilt.

He was thrown across to the other track, fatally injured. His skull was badly battered, his face was terribly bruised, and his left leg was broken. He died in a few minutes.

Logan leaves an invalid widow at Santa Monica and two children.

## BIRTH RECORD.

HENDRY—To the wife of Rev. T. Hendry, September 13, 129 North Flower street, a daughter.

MARTIN—On Sunday, September 9, to the wife of Charles M. Martin, a son.

## DEATH RECORD.

SHEMWELL—The funeral of Mrs. Virginia C. Shemwell will be held from her late residence, 2638 Orchard avenue, Saturday, September 15, 1900, at 2:30 p.m. Friends invited.

MENDENHALL—In Los Angeles, September 13, 1900, Edwin C. Mendenhall, age 72 years. Funeral from residence, 257 South Fremont avenue, Saturday, September 15, 1900, at 10 o'clock. Friends invited.

PYKE—At her home in Garvanza, September 11, 1900, Mary Ann Pyke, aged 71 years, mother of Mrs. A. B. Armstrong and Mrs. Charles H. Queen of this city. Funeral from Bresee's undertaking parlors, today at 2 p.m.

SKELTON—In Los Angeles, September 12, 1900, William Skelton, father of Mrs. Edward Simons, aged 67 years.

The funeral service will be held at the parlors of Bresee Brothers, Broadway and Sixth, Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends invited. Interment Rosedale.


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**SIXTH WARD MEETING.**

There will be a meeting of citizens Friday evening, September 14, at 8 o'clock, in Abey's Hall, Vernon and Central avenues, to discuss franchise matters as affecting the Sixth Ward.


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| Claret 5-year old; per gal | 39c |
| Zinfandel 5-year-old, regular $1.00 grade; per gal | 69c |
| Whisky 4-year-old; per gal | $1.75 |
| Whisky Old Crow, 8 years; per gal | $2.50 |
| Hermitage 12-year-old; per gal | $2.75 |
| Old Private Stock Very fine; per gal | $3.00 |
| Whisky Old Government; regular $1.25, per bottle | 85c |
| Angustura Bitters per bottle | 49c |

**GROCERY DEPT.**

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|---|---|
| Vienna Bread 16-oz. loaves, two days only, per loaf | 2½c |
| Maccaroni In bulk, per lb | 5c |
| Table Syrup In bottles | 9c |
| Vinegar Pure cider or wine, full quart bottles | 9c |
| Snider's Vegetable Soup Quart cans, regular 25c 2 days | 18c |
| Hams Sugar cured, best eastern; per lb | 12¾c |
| Watermelons Weighing between 30 and 40 lbs.; each | 14c |
| Shredded Wheat Biscuits per package | 11½c |
| Flour Best northern, made in Stockton. 50-lb sacks | 89c |
| Fresh Eggs Per dozen | 20c |
| Cheese Compton, Anchor brand, per pound | 15c |
| Rice Choice Carolina, per pound | 5c |
| Tomato Catsup Best eastern, pints, per bottle | 9c |
| Bismark Herring Imported, each | 4c |
| Shredded Cocoanut Bulk, per pound | 15c |
| Coffee Choice Mexican, per lb | 14c |
| Soda Crackers Fresh, per lb | 5c |
| Baked Pork and Beans Large 3-lb cans | 9c |
| Chow Chow ½-gallon jars | 25c |
| Hamburg Eels In jelly, imported, 35c size, per tin | 22c |

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**Table Covers** Two kinds. One is a rich chenille cover in random mixed colorings. It measures a yard and a quarter inside of the fringe and the fringe is a deep knotted affair which adds a quarter of a yard more. The other cover is two yards square, is made of fancy figured cretonne and finished with fringe. It does not look like cretonne, but, nevertheless, it is; choose at..... 69c

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## Handsome Suits for $10.

The biggest and best bargain of the season. We were fortunate in securing a few regular $15 suits which we can sell at $10. They are made in the new sans revere style, and the jackets are silk lined. The material is oxford gray homespun, and every thread wool. You can look the town over and you cannot find a better suit than this for $15. They are strictly in accordance with the latest modes, and at $10 are the biggest values ever shown in Southern California. The sale continues while the quantity holds out.

**Flannel Waists** Very pretty waists made of solid colored flannels and trimmed with twenty tucks. They have high standing, detachable collars and French sleeves. They come in red, royal, green and black. Price..... $2.00

**Shirt Waists** Last chance to get one of those 75c and $1.00 shirt waists at this price. All sorts of styles in percales. The best of the shirt waist feast awaits you. Choose for..... 25c

**Graniteware at Half** How that graniteware is selling. We are sorry there was not two carloads of it instead of one. Of course, we made a big claim for damages against the manufacturers and knocked the prices of the goods. Every piece in this sale is hurt in one way or another. Some pieces are slightly chipped, some are dented, others were spattered with different color of enamel. Something is the matter with every piece, but there is something the matter with the prices. They have been cut in two. Choose from the following, which are marked at average half price.

1-quart enameled coffee pot, 15c.
1¾-quart enameled coffee pot, 19c.
2½-quart enameled coffee pot, 29c.
1-quart enameled tea pot, 15c.
1¾-quart enameled tea pot, 19c.
2¾-quart enameled teapot, 25c.
6-quart enameled coffee boilers, 48c.
No. 6 enameled tea kettles, 30c.
No. 7 enameled tea kettles, 15c.
No. 8 enameled tea kettles, 49c.
No. 9 edameled tea kettles, 50c.
1¾-quart enameled rice boiler, 29c.
2½-quart enameled rice boiler, 48c.
2-quart enameled straight sauce pans, 19c.
3-quart enameled straight sauce pans, 22c.
6-quart enameled straight sauce pans, 29c.
1¾-quart enameled Berlin kettles, 15c.
2-quart enameled Berlin kettles, 19c.
6-quart enameled Berlin kettles, 25c.
8-quart enameled Berlin kettles, 33c.
1-quart enameled tea steepers, 10c.
12-quart enameled water pails, 45c.
14-quart enameled water pails, 49c.
10-quart enameled bread raisers, 49c.
14-quart enameled bread raisers, 69c.
17-quart enameled bread raisers, 79c.
10-quart enameled dish pans, 24c.
14-quart enameled dish pans, 29c.
17-quart enameled dish pans, 39c.
21-quart enameled dish pans, 55c.
1-quart enameled sauce pans, 13c.
2-quart enameled sauce pans, 19c.
3-quart enameled sauce pans, 22c.
4-quart enameled sauce pans, 25c.
2-quart enameled preserving kettles, 15c.
3-quart enameled preserving kettles, 19c.
4-quart enameled preserving kettles, 25c.
6-quart enameled preserving kettles, 35c.
8-quart enameled preserving kettles, 49c.
11½-inch enameled wash basins, 9c.
12½-inch enameled wash basins, 11c.
13½-inch enameled wash basins, 14c.
Small enameled ware bread pans, 9c.
Medium enameled ware bread pans, 11c.
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**School Suits** We prepared especially for this sale. We [illegible] prices for it and we bought [illegible] for it. We believe that we have absolutely the best suits in Los Angeles for the prices. We have been particular to get none but strong, well lined suits which at the same time are desirable patterns and style. They are selling as follows:

$1.98 for suits worth up to $3.00.
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1-lb. baking soda, 10c
1 pint ammonia, 10c
4-oz. extract witch hazel, 10c
1-lb. Babbitt's lye, 10c
1-lb. chloride lime, 10c
½ lb. pine tar, 10c
1-lb. moth balls, 10c
3-oz. rose water, 10c
4-oz. castor oil, 10c
1-lb. alum, 10c
4-oz. insect powder, 10c
1-lb. sulphur, 10c
3-lbs. copperas, 10c
4-oz. machine oil, 10c
4-oz. carbonate magnesia, 10c
3-oz. tincture arnica, 10c

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